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Births.

BRADLEY.—October 29, at 34 Wynyard-square, the wife of J. Crawford Bradley, of a daughter. Melbourne and home papers please copy.

CALDWELL.—October 23rd, at Lake Albert, Wagga Wagga, the wife of Robert N. Caldwell, of a son.

CARFRAE.—October 31st, at her residence, Swinton, Annandale-street, Annandale, the wife of Arthur E. Carfrae, of a daughter.

CORBEN.—November 1, 1897, at her residence, Nebroe, Spring-street, Waverley, the wife of Alfred S. Corben, of twins. Both doing well.

DAVIS.—October 30, at her residence, "Greet," Arthur-street, Randwick, the wife of Coleman Davis, of a son.

DIXON.—October 1, at Capetown, South Africa, the wife of W. E. Dixon, of a daughter.

GIBSON.—November 4th, at Grahamston, Grove-street, Marrickville, New South Wales, the wife of Percy R. Gibson, of a son. Mother and infant doing well.

HARRISON.—November 5, at her residence, 280 Darling-street, Balmain, the wife of David Harrison, of a son.

HAWKEN.—October 30, at the Parsonage, Bodalla, the wife of C. S. Hawken, of a son.

JAMIESON.—October 29, at her residence, Zelandia, Addison-road, Petersham, the wife of W. E. Jamieson, of a daughter.

KIRKPATRICK.—October 30, at Warialda, the wife of Robert Kirkpatrick—a daughter.

KNOX.—November 2, at 61 Macleay-street, the wife of Adrian Knox, of a son.

LEWIS.—October 23, at her residence, 136 Young-street, Redfern, the wife of J. C. Lewis, of a daughter.

LLOYD.—November 2nd, at Hunter's Hill, the wife of Mr. E. S. Lloyd, of a daughter.

METCALFE.—October 29, 1897, at Doonbah, Hunter's Hill, the wife of Charles F. Metcalfe, of a daughter.

MACLEAN.—October 28, at her residence, Brisbaneville, North Sydney, the wife of Rochlitz John Maclean, of a daughter.

SILBERTHAN.—October 27, at her residence, 50 Bourke-street, Redfern, the wife of A. Silberthan, of a daughter.

SUTTON.—October 30, at her residence, Military-road, Neutral Bay, wife of J. R. Sutton, news agent, of a son.

TIDDY.—October 27, at Emily-street, Leichhardt, the wife of Vivian J. Tiddy, of Normanton, North Queensland, of a son.

WALL.—August 10, 1897, the wife of Francis M. Wall, of a daughter (Madeline Margaret).

WOOLFE.—October 24, at her residence, Toorak, Liverpool-street, Paddington, the wife of Henry Woolfe, jun., of a daughter.

Marriages.

EATON—DIXSON.—October 20, at Abergeldie, Horatio Spencer, second son of William Seymour Eaton, of Bon Accord, Wagga Wagga, to Helen Craig, second daughter of Hugh Dixson, Abergeldie, Summer Hill.

FERRIER—GRANT.—October 11, at Craigstone, Point-road, Pyrmont, by the Rev. R. S. Paterson, Robert Robinson Ferrier, to Elizabeth Ferguson, sixth daughter of the late W. Grant.

FORSYTH—FLEMING.—October 6, 1897, at Wesleyan Church, Willoughby, by Rev. J. G. Middleton, Robert C., second son of Robert Forsyth, J.P., of Tyneside, Willoughby, to Bertha Mary, second daughter of Howard Fleming, J.P., of Glanavon, Willoughby.

GLANVILLE—FORSTER.—September 29, at St. John's Church, Nowra, by the Rev. Luke Parr, Samuel Joseph, sixth son of John Glanville, Esq., J.P., of Nowra, to Annie, second daughter of the late Armourer Winship Forster, Mildura, Victoria.

GRAY—PIKE.—October 23, at St. John's Church, Darlinghurst, by the Rev. A. W. Pain, Frank Gray, of London, to Marian Victoria Pike, eldest daughter of John Pike, Richmond, Surrey, England.

LUND—JOHNSON.—October 16, at Congregational Church, Burwood, by the Rev. Geo. Campbell, Charles Lund, only son of John Lund, Esq., Yorkshire, England, to Annie, only daughter of Farnell W. Johnson, Wyndlewood, Johnston-street, Annandale (late of Holyrood, Glebe Point).

MURPHY—ST. CLAIR MACLARDY.—November 3, 1897, at "Trevor," the residence of the bride's mother, by the Rev. D. K. M'Intyre, grand uncle of the bride, Frances Amelia, eldest son of the late Major Murphy, Enniskillen Dragoons, to Joan Campbell, youngest daughter of the late D. St. Clair Maclardy, Sydney.

PEARCE—HINDE.—October 13, at St. Andrew's Cathedral, by the Rev. R. G. Read, John Edward Pearce, of Lockwick, to Mary Hamilton, second daughter of the late Oliver Hinde.

SELBY—WIBURD.—October 11, at St. George's Church, Hillsgrove, by the Rev. F. M. Hines, Sydney, second son of the late C. Selby, Esq., London, to Ada, second daughter of J. Wiburd, Esq., Bathurst.

SHORT—BROWN.—October 12, 1897, at Chalmers Church, Redfern, by the Rev. G. Buchanan, Richard Phillip, youngest son of late R. T. Spour, of S. Shields, England, to Susan M., youngest daughter of T. G. Short Brown, of Nairn, Scotland. Home papers please copy.

STAYNER—SOUTHON.—October 12, 1897, at Christchurch Cathedral, Grafton, by the Rev. E. H. Webber, Frederick Arthur, third son of J. Stayner, late of Macleay River, to Ethel Mair, only daughter of the late W. E. Southon, of Grafton.

SULLIVAN—GUNTER.—August 26, 1897, at St. Mary's Church, Waverley, by Rev. R. M'Keown, William Francis, second son of J. Sullivan, of Aden, Arabia, to Bessie Gunter, eldest daughter of D. Hutchings, Banfield, Devon, England.

Silver Wedding.

DAVIS—HART.—November 6, 1872, at the Macquarie-street Synagogue, by the Rev. Solomon Phillips, John Davis, eldest son of Samuel Davis, late of Goulburn, to Minnie, eldest daughter of Isaac Hart, of this city.

HEALEY—PEPPRELL.—November 6, 1872, by the Rev. Allan W. Webb, George Albert Healey, third son of the late George Richard Healey, to Emma, fourth daughter of the late William Peppell, of Surry Hills.

Deaths.

ALLEN.—November 5, at the residence of her parents, Glenthorne, 26 Annandale-street, Annandale, Vera Tuson, youngest daughter of John and Maria Isabella Allen, aged 5 months.

BENSON.—November 5, at Barham, New South Wales, George Gordon, eldest son of the late Dr. William Benson, Hobart, aged 55.

BRYANT.—November 2, at his residence, Cottesloe, Perth, West Australia, Peter Antony Bryant, aged 52, late of Sydney, managing director Bellview Mine, W.A.

CAMPBELL.—October 1, at Dalby, Queensland, Colin John, only and much-loved son of John and Margaret Campbell, of Brisbane (late of Enmore and Newtown), aged 22 years and 10 months. Dearly loved brother of Mrs. Louis Parkins, Ashfield.

CUTTER.—November 1, 1897, at his residence, Rockville, Pitt-street, Milson's Point, Robert Fagon Cutter, aged 51.

FLOCKHART.—October 26, at his residence, 5 Ruthven-street, Waverley, Thomas Bridges Flockhart, of Portobello, aged 87 years.

JONES.—October 31, at her residence, Belmore-street, Surry Hills, Jane, relict of the late Thomas Jones, and mother of T. M. and J. Jones, in her 77th year.

LOUGHLIN.—November 5, at her residence, 124 Mitchell-street, Glebe, Jane, the dearly beloved wife of William Loughlin, aged 52.

MADIGAN.—November 5, 1897, at her residence, No. 1 Alfa's terrace, Cumberland-street, Paddington, Mary, dearly beloved wife of Thomas Madigan, aged 51 years.

PULVER.—November 4, at the Sydney Hospital, Louis Pulver, aged 42, head master Sydney Hebrew School. L. Samuels.

ROBERTS.—October 31, at College-street, Hilda Mary Louisa, dearly-beloved baby of Richard H. and Emily Roberts, No. 30 Harris-street, Pyrmont, aged 14 months.

In Memoriam

BOLTON.—In loving remembrance of my dear wife and our dear mother, Flora Ann Bolton, who departed this life 6th November, 1896. Inserted by her loving husband and children.

When thy Father called thee home, dear one,
A peaceful calm in thee I dwell;
Though speech was with us it was thy loving lips,
And thou couldst not bid the last farewell, but
Thy upward glance best hope conveyed
To us, thy stricken ones, that day.
Then the angel came, "God's messenger,"
And gently bore thy soul away.

CUNNINGHAM.—In loving remembrance of our beloved daughter, M. A. Cunningham, who departed this life on 6th November, 1895, eldest daughter of the late William and M. Crawley, of Campbelltown, aged 41 years. R.I.P. Inserted by her loving mother, Margaret Crawley.

HILLARD.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Louisa Hillard, who died November 7, 1891, aged 66 years. Inserted by her loving sons and daughters.

MITCHELL.—In loving memory of our dear son, David, who died at Richmond, November 6, 1888. A loving son, a kind husband, and fond father. Inserted by his parents, William and Margaret Mitchell.

PASFIELD.—In memory of William Hamilton Pasfield, sen., died November, 1892; also Isabell Ellen, granddaughter of the above, died October, 1895. At rest.

Return Thanks.

LEVI.—Masters HERMAN, SIDNEY, AARON, and CECIL LEVI desire to return THANKS to their kind friends and relations for their sympathy, letters of condolence, and floral tributes during their late sad bereavement; also, thanking the Sisters and Nurses of St. Vincent's Hospital for the kind attention shown by them to our darling mother. H. H. S.

Mr. W. SPARKES and FAMILY desire to return their sincere THANKS to the many friends who kindly sent wreaths; also to Dr. Pethin for his unfailing attendance, and letters of sympathy, during their sad bereavement.

Mrs. BAXTER and FAMILY with deepest feelings of gratitude wish to return sincere THANKS to their friends for the many floral tributes, letters and expressions of sympathy in their late bereavement, and especially thank Mr. Bradley for his kind attention.

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ALBANY, FREMANTLE, GERALDTON, transhipping for COSSACK and North-west ports	Aramac, Monday, 8 p.m., Nov. 8 (Change at Melbourne.); Bulimba, Saturday, Nov. 13 (See Special Advertisement below.)
BRISBANE	Warrego, This Day, 10 a.m., Nov. 6; Cintra, Wed'day, 10 a.m., Nov. 10; Ranelagh, Wed'day, 5 p.m., Nov. 10; Fitzroy, Friday, 5 p.m., Nov. 12
MARYBOROUGH	Warrego, This Day, 10 a.m., Nov. 6; Cintra, Wed'day, 10 a.m., Nov. 10
BUNDABERG	Cintra, Wed'day, 10 a.m., Nov. 10; Ranelagh, Wed'day, 5 p.m., Nov. 10
GLADSTONE	Warrego, This Day, 10 a.m., Nov. 6
ROCKHAMPTON	Warrego, This Day, 10 a.m., Nov. 6; Cintra, Wed'day, 10 a.m., Nov. 10; Ranelagh, Wed'day, 5 p.m., Nov. 10
BROADSOUND	Cintra, Wed'day, 10 a.m., Nov. 10
MACKAY, BOWEN	Cintra, Wed'day, 10 a.m., Nov. 10
TOWNSVILLE	Cintra, Wed'day, 10 a.m., Nov. 10; Fitzroy, Friday, Nov. 12
DUNGENESS (Lucinda Point), CARDWELL, MOURILYAN HARBOUR, GERALDTON	Cintra, Wed'day, 10 a.m., Nov. 10 (Change at Townsville).
CAIRNS, PORT DOUGLAS	Cintra, Wed'day, 10 a.m., Nov. 10
COOKTOWN	Cintra, Wed'day, 10 a.m., Nov. 10; Fitzroy, Friday, 5 p.m., Nov. 12
THURSDAY ISLD., NORMANTON, BURKETOWN	Warrego (cargo only), This Day, 10 a.m.; Fitzroy, Friday, 5 p.m., Nov. 12 (Change at Brisbane.)
NOUMEA, SUVA, LEVUKA, FIJI	Birksgate, Wednesday, Nov. 10.

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S.S. ANGLIAN, WEDNESDAY, November 10, at 4 p.m.
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ADELAIDE, WALLAROO, PORT PIRIE, PORT AUGUSTA	Peregrine, This Day, Sat., 2 p.m.; Ashley, Friday, Nov. 12, 5 p.m.
ALBANY, BUNBURY, FREMANTLE, GERALDTON	Peregrine, This Day, Sat., 2 p.m., will take passengers and cargo for s.s. Gabo, leaving Melbourne Wednesday, Nov. 10. (See Special Advertisement.)
BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, ROCKHAMPTON	Tyrian, This Day, Sat., 2 p.m.; Burwah, Mon., Nov. 8, 5 p.m.; Barrabool, Wed., Nov. 10, 5 p.m.
BUNDABERG, MACKAY, TOWNSVILLE, LUCINDA POINT, GERALDTON, CAIRNS, &c., &c.	Tyrian, This Day, Sat., 2 p.m.; Barrabool, Wed., Nov. 10, 5 p.m.; Peregrine, Sat., Nov. 13, 2 p.m.

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NINEVEH	N. Allan	3900	Dec. 31
THERMOPYLÆ	A. Simpson	3700	Jan. 28, '98
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LEAVE MANLY—7.15, 8.10, 8.45, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30, 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 3.45, 4.30, 5, 5.15, 6, 6.30, 7, 8, 8.30, 9.15, 10.15, 11.15.

SUNDAYS.

LEAVE CIRCULAR QUAY—9, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30, 12, 12.30, 1, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.15, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9.15, 10.15.

LEAVE MANLY—8.30, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4, 4.30, 4.45, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.45, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10.

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Leave Sydney for all Wharfs to Gladesville.—8, 9, 10.30, 11.30 a.m.; 1, 2.30, 3.30, 5.15, 6, 6.45, 8, 9.15, 10.30 p.m.

The 1 p.m. steamer calls at all wharfs as far as Walker Hospital.

Leave Sydney for all Wharfs to Ryde.—8, 9, 10.30, 11.30 a.m.; 2.30, 3.30, 5.15, 6, 6.45, 8, 9.15, 10.30 p.m.

Leave Sydney for all Wharfs to Parramatta.—9, 10.30, 11.30 a.m.; 2.30, 3.30, 6 p.m.

RETURNING—

From Parramatta Park.—8.30, 10.45, 12.10 a.m.; 2, 4.10, 5 p.m.

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TUESDAY, 9th November.—7.30 a.m. to Wollongong and stations beyond only; 7.38 a.m. to Wollongong.

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MONDAY, 8th November.—5.15 p.m. from Sydney (only) to stations Picton to Goulburn inclusive.

TUESDAY, 9th November—8 a.m. to Goulburn.

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MONDAY, 8th November.—4.50 p.m. and 5.25 p.m. to Mount Victoria.

TUESDAY, 9th November.—8.10 a.m. to Mount Victoria, and 8.20 a.m. to Eskbank.

NORTHERN LINE.

MONDAY, 8th November.—4.40 p.m. and 4.55 p.m. (4.50 p.m. from Milson's Point) to Newcastle.

TUESDAY, 9th November.—8.15 a.m. (7.50 a.m. from Milson's Point) to Newcastle.

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TUESDAY, 9th November.—8 a.m. to Goulburn; 10.30 p.m. to Liverpool.

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MONDAY, 8th November.—4.50 p.m. to Mount Victoria.

TUESDAY, 9th November.—8.10 a.m. to Mount Victoria; 8.20 a.m. to Eskbank; 6.50 p.m. to Richmond; 11.35 p.m. to Mount Victoria and Richmond.

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MONDAY, 8th November.—4.40 p.m., to Newcastle.

TUESDAY, 9th November.—8.15 p.m. and 5.48 p.m. to Newcastle; 9.5 a.m. to Hawkesbury River; 9.40 a.m. to Gosford; 10.45 a.m. to Hornsby Junction.

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PROGRAMME:

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2. Aria—"Qui Sdegno" ("Il Flauto Magico") — F. J. HALLEWELL. — Mozart
3. Concerto Esse (Andante, Intermezzo) — H. STAELL. — C. Lalo
4. Song. "Three Merrymen" — F. J. HALLEWELL. — Molloy
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IN BANKRUPTCY.

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Re EWING SERVISS, of Nowra, Berry, and Greenwell Point, Storekeeper (No. 12,208), a first account and plan of distribution showing payment in full of proved preferential claims for rent (£32 10s 5d), and a first dividend of 6s 8d (six shillings and eight pence) in the £ on all proved concurrent debts, and a balance of £897 12s 5d carried forward.

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8 Elizabeth-street, Sydney, 1st November, 1897.

IN THE MATTER of the Trusts of the Will and Codicil of LUCY MANSFIELD, late of Parramatta, in the Colony of New South Wales, Widow, deceased, and in the Matter of the Trustee Act of 1852; and in the Matter of the Permanent Trustee Company of New South Wales Limited Act.—NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Honorable Charles James Manning, Chief Judge in Equity, on Monday, the fifteenth day of November instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard on behalf of GEORGE ALLEN MANSFIELD, one of the surviving trustees under the said Will, ELIZABETH VICTORIA COCHRAN, JANE ANTOINETTE MANSFIELD, MARY JANE SHELLEY, and LUCY CHARLOTTE GORDON, ROBERT MANSFIELD GORDON, CHARLES DANIEL GORDON, and LUCY GORDON, all infants under the age of twenty-one years, by DANIEL COOPER GORDON, their father and next friend, for the appointment of the Permanent Trustee Company of New South Wales, Limited, as Trustees of the Will of the said Lucy Mansfield, deceased, in substitution for the said George Allen Mansfield, Charles Shelley Mansfield (deceased), and Ralph Park Mansfield, and for such further or other order as to his Honor the said Chief Judge in Equity shall seem meet in the premises. Dated this fourth day of November, 1897. WESTGARTH and CO., Solicitors for the Petitioners, 85 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of WILLIAM CHARLES WINDEYER, late of Sydney, in the Colony of New South Wales, Knight Bachelor, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to Dame MARY ELIZABETH WINDEYER, RICHARD WINDEYER, and WILLIAM ARCHIBALD WINDEYER, the Executrix and Executors in the said Will named. W. A. WINDEYER, Proctor for the Executrix and Executors, Hoffnung's-buildings, 159 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES (No. 2252, A.D. 1897).—Between GRAINGER BARTON and ROBERT JOHN JOHNSTON, trading as the Petersia Boring Company, Plaintiffs, and ARTHUR J. JOHNSTON, Defendant.—Whereas an Action has been commenced in this Court at the suit of the abovenamed GRAINGER BARTON and ROBERT JOHN JOHNSTON against the abovenamed ARTHUR J. JOHNSTON to recover the sum of £55 for that the Defendant seized and took the Plaintiffs' goods, that is to say, Two Jacks, and carried away the same and disposed of them to his own use, and for that the Defendant detained from the Plaintiffs certain goods, that is to say, Two Jacks, and for that the Defendant converted to his own use or wrongfully deprived the Plaintiffs of the use and possession of their goods, that is to say, Two Jacks, and for money payable by the Defendant to the Plaintiffs for goods sold and delivered by the Plaintiffs to the Defendant, and for goods bargained and sold by the Plaintiffs to the Defendant, and for money found to be due from the Defendant to the Plaintiffs on accounts stated between them. And it being alleged that the said Arthur J. Johnston does not reside within the said colony or its dependencies, a Writ of Foreign Attachment has been issued, returnable on the 16th day of November next, wherein WILLIAM BELL, of Pinbuddle Station, in the Broken Hill district, in the Colony of New South Wales, Hotelkeeper, is garnishee. NOTICE is hereby given thereof, and if at any time before final judgment in this action the said Arthur J. Johnston or any person on his behalf will give the security and enter and file the appearance and plea required by the Act intituled An Act to Consolidate and Amend the Laws Relating to Actions against Persons Absent from the Colony and against Persons Sued as Joint Contractors, the attachment may be dissolved. Dated this 21st day of October, A.D. 1897. PHILIP J. BIDDULPH, Attorney for the Plaintiffs, Bourke. By his Agent, G. E. RUSSELL JONES, 40 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

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Public Notices.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Municipal Council of the Municipality of Nyngan to apply to the Parliament of New South Wales during the present Session if possible, and if not then, during the next Session, for a Bill to enable the said Municipal District of Nyngan to borrow moneys at interest for the purpose of defraying the cost of erecting and completing a Town Hall, Council Chambers, Offices, and Buildings now in course of erection on certain lands at Nyngan aforesaid, and for that purpose to mortgage and give security over the said lands and also over the said Town Hall, Council Chambers, Offices, and Buildings, and also (subject to any existing mortgages or charges thereon) to mortgage, bind, and charge the personal estate and annual revenues of the said Municipal District, and the general and special rates already levied or hereafter to be levied within the said Municipal District, and from time to time and at all times to use, let, and demise the said offices and buildings for such purposes and on such terms and conditions as the said Municipal Council may deem advisable, and for other the purposes set out in the said Bill. Dated this twelfth day of October, 1897. D. E. BURNS, Solicitor for the Bill, Nyngan. By his Agent, FREDERICK WILLIAM WALKER, 36 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

PRINCE ALFRED HOSPITAL.

I beg to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the following SUBSCRIPTIONS and DONATIONS for the month ended OCTOBER 31, 1897:—

	£	s	d
Arnold George	2	2	0
Australian Mortgage, Land, and Finance Coy.	3	3	0
Betts, Miss	1	1	0
Bruck, L.	1	1	0
Burt, J. J.	1	1	0
Codrington, G. A.	1	1	0
Cowan, A. and Sons, Limited	1	1	0
Davison, George	2	2	0
Dickinson, Miss	1	1	0
Duncan, George	2	0	0
Harbottle, Alsop, and Co.	1	1	0
Jenkins, Mary Rae, Mrs.	2	2	0
Kauri Timber Company, Limited	2	2	0
Kent, Fredk. D.	2	2	0
Lassetter Benefit and Provident Society	2	2	0
Lodge Kilwinning, Orient	1	1	0
Lodge United Service	2	2	0
Long, A. Farry	2	2	0
Metropolitan Colliery Company, Miners of	30	0	0
Metropolitan Fire Brigade Benefit Fund	5	5	0
Morehouse, G. A.	1	1	0
Mullens, Josiah	5	5	0
MacIntosh, John and Sons	1	1	0
M'Lennan, C.	1	1	0
Newtown Congregational Church, per Mr. Bullen	3	3	0
Orme, Keigwin, and Co.	2	2	0
Pratt and Pratt	1	1	0
Rich, E. and Co., Limited	1	1	0
Stedman, Jas., Employees of	2	2	0
Stephen, Cecil B.	2	2	0
Stephen, His Honor Mr. Justice	3	3	0
Stewart, S. M.	2	2	0
Stuart Bros.	3	3	0
Subscriptions under £1	35	14	7
	£151	12	7

JAMES R. FAIRFAX, Hon. Treasurer.

November 5, 1897.

QUEEN VICTORIA HOME FOR CONSUMPTIVES.

The Hon. Treasurers beg to acknowledge the following DONATIONS:—

	£	s	d
Amount previously advertised	11,032	17	8
Canterbury collection per the Mayor	9	19	0
Ancient Order of Foresters	1	0	0
Collected at Singleton per Mr. Poppenhagen	12	6	0
Toxteth Park Concert	5	11	3
Collected by Sir Arthur Renwick—			
Mr. Albert Bond £2 2 0			
Mr. W. A. Cottee 2 2 0			
Mr. G. F. Murnin 1 1 0			
Lady Renwick 2 2 0			
Small amounts 2 8 0			
	9	15	0
Parramatta District Police	4	0	0
Kiama Police	1	0	0
Porter and Co.	1	0	0
Charity Carnival per Messrs. Roseby and Sidney	100	0	0
Railway employees' collection	102	6	10
Ball at Gunning	2	10	0
W. B. Taylor per H. S. L.	2	2	6
	£11,364	8	3

DOROTHY L. BRAND, HARRY S. LEVY, Hon. Treasurers.

BRICKLAYERS' TRADE SOCIETY begs to ACKNOWLEDGE, with THANKS, the following donations kindly contributed towards its Sports and Picnic held at Clontarf on November 1:—

	£	s	d
Bakewell Bros., Brick Manufacturers	5	5	0
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G. S. Gordon, Builder	1	11	6
Woodley and Co., Brickmakers	1	10	6
C. Roberts, Lime Merchant	1	1	0
W. Wilson, Builder	1	1	0
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Cullen Bullen Lime and Cement Co.	0	10	6
G. Boardman, Builder	0	10	0
J. T. and J. Toohey, 1 Cask of Beer			

CHARLES FOX, Secretary.

JEWISH GIRLS' GUILD.—We beg to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of £30 forwarded by Secretary Charity Organisation Society as proceeds of Diamond Jubilee Charity Carnival.

H. CORONEL, Treasurer.

CHARITY ORGANISATION AND RELIEF SOCIETY.

The Committee beg to acknowledge the receipt of £40 from the Hon. Treasurers of the Diamond Jubilee Charity Carnival.

J. SIDNEY, Secretary.

QUEEN'S JUBILEE FUND.

The Council beg to acknowledge the receipt of £20 from Messrs. J. Roseby, J. B. Cropley, and J. Sidney, Hon. Treasurers of the Diamond Jubilee Charity Carnival.

(Signed) ELLEN DIBBS, ANNIE PARKS, Hon. Treasurers.

GRAND JUBILEE CHARITY CARNIVAL.

The HON. TREAS. of the ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY begs to acknowledge, with THANKS, Cheque for £40 from the Committee of the above.

C. G. HEPBURN, Hon. Treasurer.

THE Board of Management of the Sir Moses Montefiore Jewish Home gratefully acknowledge the receipt of Cheque for FORTY POUNDS from the Hon. Treasurers of the Diamond Jubilee Carnival Fund.

SAMUEL COHEN, President; S. SOLOMONS, Hon. Treasurer; S. M. STEENBHOM, Hon. Secretary.

GERMAN BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

I beg to acknowledge, with thanks, the receipt of £25 from Messrs. J. ROSEBY, J. SIDNEY, and J. B. CROPLEY, Hon. Treasurers Diamond Jubilee Charity Carnival.

MARIE ELLIS.

NEWCASTLE AND NORTHUMBERLAND BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

I beg to acknowledge, with thanks, the receipt of £30 from Messrs. J. ROSEBY, J. SIDNEY, and J. B. CROPLEY, Hon. Treasurers Diamond Jubilee Charity Carnival.

MARIE ELLIS.

BENEVOLENT SOCIETY OF N.S.W.

I have to acknowledge with many thanks the receipt of a Cheque for £100 (one hundred pounds), being donation from the Treasurers of the Jubilee Charity Carnival.

JOHN ROSEBY, Hon. Treasurer.

November 3, 1897.

ACKNOWLEDGE on behalf of the Woollahra Benevolent Society Receipt of £10 from the Diamond Jubilee Charity Carnival.

ANNIE T. CARO, Hon. Treas.

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Hon. Mr. Justice ARCHIBALD HENRY SIMPSON, M.A., has been nominated by Albert B. Weigall, Esq., M.A., and Herbert L. Maitland, Esq., M.B., Ch. M., as a CANDIDATE for the vacancy on the Senate caused by the death of the Hon. Sir William C. Windeyer, M.A., LL.D.

H. E. BARFF, Registrar.

October 25, 1897.

THE CIVIL SERVICE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY OF N.S.W., Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the BUSINESS of the above Society will be transferred to the new Premises, 152-4 Pitt-street, on and after WEDNESDAY, 10th instant.

By order of the Board.

T. G. KENNY, Secretary and Accountant.

152-4 Pitt-street, Sydney, 4th November, 1897.

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I express my regret that my customers and the public of Marrickville should have been misled by me in the matter, and insert this advertisement as some reparation to Messrs. Taylor Bros. for the injury done them.

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2. The first place of operations is at Mount Apsley, near Bathurst.
3. The first Registered Office of the Company will be situate at Union-chambers, 70 Pitt-street, Sydney.
4. The value of the Company's intended property (including plant and machinery) is nil.
5. The amount of money at the credit of the Company or any person on its behalf is £569; and the total liability of the Company, or which the Company is intended to assume or undertake, is £20.
6. The Nominal Capital of the Company is £4000 in 32,000 shares of 2s 6d each.
7. The number of Contributing Shares subscribed for is 24,000.
8. The name of the first Manager is GEORGE SIDNEY BUZACOTT.
9. Ten percentum of the Contributing Capital has been duly paid up in cash.
10. The only contract entered into on behalf of this Company is that of which the particulars are stated hereunder.—Contract entered into between GUY HENRY SCOTT, of Norwich-chambers, Sydney, and GEORGE SIDNEY BUZACOTT, of Union-chambers, 70 Pitt-street, Sydney, in trust for the Company, dated 18th October, 1897, whereby the property is transferred by Guy Henry Scott to George Sidney Buzacott in trust for the Company.

Dated this twenty-ninth day of October, 1897.

We, the persons whose names and addresses are subscribed, hereby apply to register Mount Apsley Copper-mining Company as a "No Liability" Company.

Signature.	Address.	Witness.
Scantlebury, I. E.	Summer Hill	G. S. Buzacott, 70 Pitt-street, Sydney
Lloyd, Lewis	Norwich-chambers, Sydney	G. S. Buzacott, 70 Pitt-street, Sydney
Westbrook, S. I.	70 Pitt-street, Sydney	A. G. Zeitler, 70 Pitt-street, Sydney
Westlake, E. C.	North Sydney	T. Waters, North Sydney
Scott, Guy H.	Paddington	A. G. Zeitler, 70 Pitt-street, Sydney
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Roebuck, H. C.	Darlinghurst	A. G. Zeitler, 70 Pitt-street, Sydney

DECLARATION VERIFYING MEMORANDUM FOR REGISTRATION.

I, George Sydney Buzacott, do hereby solemnly declare and affirm that:—

1. I am the Manager of the said intended Company.
2. The above statements are to the best of my belief and knowledge true in every particular.

And I make this solemn Declaration as to the matters aforesaid according to the law in this behalf made, and subject to the punishment by law provided for any wilfully false statement in any such declaration.

Declared before me this 29th day of October, 1897.

G. H. COX, J.P. (Signed) G. S. BUZACOTT, Manager.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—We, the undersigned, JOHN FREDERICK LOXTON and CHARLES CYRUS BULLOCK, both of Sydney, Licensed Surveyors, hereby give notice that the PARTNERSHIP hitherto subsisting between us as Surveyors under the style of Loxton and Bullock, has been DISSOLVED as from the 30th October, 1897, and that all moneys owing to the late firm are to be paid to the said John Frederick Loxton, whose receipt will be a sufficient discharge.

Dated at Sydney, this 2nd day of November, 1897.

JOHN F. LOXTON. CHARLES CYRUS BULLOCK.

I, the undersigned, John Frederick Loxton, shall in future carry on in my own name the practice of my profession as a Licensed Surveyor on the premises formerly occupied by the late firm of Loxton and Bullock, 129 Pitt-street, Sydney.

JOHN F. LOXTON.

I, the undersigned, Charles Cyrus Bullock, shall in future carry on in my own name the practice of my profession as a Licensed Surveyor at Mercantile Mutual-chambers, 118 Pitt-street, Sydney.

C. C. BULLOCK.

NOTICE is hereby given that the PARTNERSHIP heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, THOMAS TODD FORSYTH and ROBERT FORSYTH, carrying on business together as Tanners and Curriers, &c., at North Willoughby, and as Leather and Grindery Merchants, &c., at Nos. 29 and 31 George-street West, in Sydney, under the style or firm of "J. Forsyth and Sons," has been DISSOLVED by mutual consent as from the 19th day of May, 1897. And that the said Tannery Business will in future be carried on as heretofore at North Willoughby aforesaid, by the said Thomas Todd Forsyth alone in his own name and sole individual responsibility. And also that the said Leather and Grindery Business will in future be carried on as heretofore at Nos. 29 and 31 George-street West aforesaid by the said Robert Forsyth alone under the name of "J. Forsyth and Sons," and equally on his own sole responsibility, and who will receive all moneys owing to the said late partnership.

T. T. FORSYTH. ROBERT FORSYTH.

Witness to both Signatures: JAMES FORSYTH, Jun.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The ARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between the late JOHN and WILLIAM DENISON and TOM HAIGH, trading as DENISON and SONS, Bakers, North Botany, has been this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent. The business at North Botany will be carried on in future by Mrs. MATILDA DENISON.

TOM HAIGH will carry on business on his own account at Botany-road, Waterloo.

(Signed) MATILDA DENISON, TOM HAIGH.

30th October, 1897.

THE Committee of the Labour Home beg to acknowledge with THANKS the Receipt of CHEQUE for £10, being the amount allotted to the above institution by the Committee of the DIAMOND JUBILEE CHARITY CARNIVAL in aid of the Destitute of Sydney.

Nov. 4, 1897. CHARLES I. K. UHR, Hon. Secretary.

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The Loan is sanctioned by the Governor, as required by Section 190 of the Municipalities Act.

Tenders must be addressed to the Mayor and Aldermen of the Borough of Cudgegong, and must state the rate of interest at which tenderers are willing to advance the amount, not exceeding 6 per cent.

Tenders will close at the Cudgegong Council-chambers, Mudgee, on TUESDAY, 9th November, 1897.

JOSEPH M. COX, Council Clerk.

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* The Battlefields of Thessaly: with Personal Experiences in Turkey and Greece. By Sir Ellis Ashmead Bartlett, M.P. London: John Murray. 1897.

Since it became the fortune of Sir Ellis Ashmead Bartlett to be captured by a Greek cruiser during the late war, before personally interviewing the Sultan as an English sympathiser and member of Parliament, his name has become closely identified with the Greco-Turkish struggle. Even so tragical a matter as war has its absurd side, and it has been given to Sir E. A. Bartlett to personify this; not less so because throughout his experiences and this volume he persists in taking himself with unbroken seriousness. The book is mainly offered as "a narrative of my own and my son's personal experiences," but these experiences are made to confirm the writer in the conviction that the traditional policy of England towards the Ottoman Empire is the right and just one. He explains that the eternal necessities of strategy, race, and politics, demand the ratification of Beaconsfield's policy, and the substitution of hostility for friendship towards the chief independent Mussulman Power of the world means mischief to British interests in Europe and Asia, but above all in India. Coming to the war itself, he does not dignify it by the name of a great one, but regards its importance as part of the development of that "eternal Eastern Question," as he calls it, which has such a gravity for England. It has strengthened Mussulman solidarity, he thinks, and has impressed the "remarkable sovereign who holds the north-western gates of India,"—a delicate reference to the Ameer of Afghanistan which will doubtless be duly appreciated in the proper quarter. He thinks it also means the serious decline, if not the total loss, of British influence at Constantinople; while Germany is said to have secured the support in case of European war of the splendid Ottoman army. He deprecates in the most censorious terms what he describes as the violence of language and recklessness of abuse towards the Sultan and his Ministers and officers in which certain British politicians and a section of the press are said to have indulged, though he is careful to add that he does not include in this censure "suitable and well-considered reprobation of the evil deeds that were done in Armenia during the last three months of 1895." But he speaks of journalistic fictions about Sassun, the atrocities alleged in connection with which place, this writer avers, never had any existence at all. There was a revolt, and it was suppressed at the cost of from 262 to 600 lives as variously estimated, is his explanation. All other stories were fiction, paid for by that Great Power whose object is to destroy the Ottoman Empire, and in so doing deal a deadly blow at the dominion of England. Still, it is comforting to learn from the author himself that when he had the opportunity of speaking to the Sultan he impressed on that monarch the disastrous effect of evil deeds such as those perpetuated in Asia Minor in 1895, and exacted a promise that careful measures would be taken to prevent their recurrence.

This worthy member of Parliament threw himself headlong into the vortex of war between Turkey and Greece, he explains, so that he might observe the Ottoman army, watch its treatment of a beaten foe, and help to make peace between the belligerents. But the principal object—it weighed more with Sir E. Ashmead Bartlett than the others, he himself assures us—was the supreme wish to gain knowledge and experience to aid him in promoting at home the old and necessary policy of friendship towards the Ottoman Empire. With these preconceived intentions it is obvious that the book was to all intents and purposes planned before he started. He took his son Ellis with him, and the two divide the interest of the reader. We follow the pair to the front, and to Larissa, and then to Valestinos and Domokos. We are permitted to see them captured by the Greek ships, and carried off to Athens, where they improve the occasion by an interview with the King of Greece. Thence they go to Constantinople to interview the Sultan, so having the unique experience, as Sir Ellis Ashmead Bartlett modestly boasts, of having audiences within three days and during a condition of actual warfare, "by both the Sovereigns of the two combatants." The Greek inhabitants of the provinces are in general denounced for their barbarous treatment of Turks, the courage of the Sultan's troops is lauded throughout, and the book is dedicated to the Ottoman army, "that gallant, highly-disciplined, patient, and indomitable soldiery."

In his new volume "Australian Fairy Tales" (Ward, Lock, and Co.), Mr. Atha Westbury makes a claim to the liking of Australian children based upon a performance very different from those of the majority of writers for the young here. He simply takes the unkind and the kind spirits of earth and air, as they are in Andersen, or Grim, or d'Aulroy, or in the "Thousand and One Nights," and makes them perform their magic service for young and old in Australia. The beautiful prince, hidden under an animal disguise, is restored to his own again, birds and animals speak, the "good people" themselves appear—certain with a mellow brogue, immigrants, no doubt. All these wonders are strictly in the interest of good morals. Grumbling, idle, and otherwise troublesome people are punished, and the contrary virtues suitably rewarded. The human guests of faery go up in marvellous balloons, ropes of silk and sails of sendal, or down in boats, where Alph, the sacred river, ran through caverns measureless to man down to a sunless sea. And through it all, somehow, our gum trees and kangaroos, and Blue Mountains and River Torrens, and Mount Pleasants, Williamstown and Melbourne, interfere. All the work of magic belongs to the land of the Arabian Nights, and one feels puzzled to meet brownie, kobold, gnome, dwarf, prince, and the rest under our skies. Perhaps their small Highnesses whose age is under double figures may approve.

Lady Howard of Glossop, having, in 1895, made a tour of Canada, the United States, Mexico, presents the world with the journal of a good-humoured and talkative lady in a hurry ("Journal of a Tour in the United States, Mexico, and Canada," by Winefred, Lady Howard of Glossop, Sampson Low, Marston, and Co.). The author appears to have had a very good time, indeed, and to have been simply indefatigable in her vocation of sight-seeing and note-taking. The illustrations are not the least agreeable feature of this rather breathless book.

The Rev. Dyson Hague, a Canadian Churchman, has thought it well to write a study of "The Church of England before the Reformation" (Hodder and Stoughton). Since his object has been to show how complete is the contrast between the position of that Church then and now, he is hardly likely to please that large section of the Church of England the members of which hold to the historical and doctrinal continuity of the Church. Against this doctrine Mr. Hague marshals his reading of history. It is not easy to reconcile with the position stated in the first part of his preface this clause from a later portion of the same document:—"I earnestly trust that this volume will give the reader a clearer grasp of the profound difference between the Romanised National Church of the pre-Reformation age and the National Church of England since, and of the marvellous change that was effected in the doctrine and ritual of the Church without alteration of its episcopal order on the one hand, or of its organic identity on the other." If there is profound difference, complete contrast, where is organic identity?

Two new volumes of Mr. James Bowden's colonial library are Mr. Shan F. Bullock's "The Charmer" and "A Deserter from Philistia," by E. Phipps Train. Mr. Bullock's Irish sketches are now well known, and for a North of Ireland town or country group he is perhaps as capable a writer as Miss Emily Lawless of the South-western Irish. In this tale, which ought to have been much shorter, he tells of the glamour of a young English lady who is spending the honeymoon at an Irish coast town, her husband and self, to escape embarrassments, passing for brother and sister. But though the book has good work, the story is impossible out of Bedlam. "A Deserter from Philistia" is all about a young lady of mixed antecedents, who marries a clergyman in America, and runs away to dance into fame, wealth, and adventures at New York.

In Messrs. Ward, Lock, and Co.'s series also come two new books. Mr. Headon Hill has written in "Beacon Fires" a batch of readable short stories of land and sea along the English Channel when Napoleon contemplated invasion. "Pharisees" is a long story of a girl's career in New York. It contains some saddening descriptions of the search for daily bread to which a girl may be reduced, and the episode of Paul Simms is skating on thin ice. At length all comes right, and the British nobility is balked of an American heiress by her constancy to Mr. Simms.

Messrs. Angus and Robertson send us a clever and amusing novel in Lorin Kaye's "Drawing-room Cynic." The dialogue, the people the situations, the author's asides are all very smart. Mrs. Melville's Chicago mother-in-law, who darkened the doctrines of theosophy by publicly expounding them, is one of a series of portraits of women, all of them brilliantly clever, whether at full length or smaller, but few sympathetic.

"Miss Bobbie," by Ethel Turner (Mrs. H. R. Curlewis). Ward, Lock, and Co.

"Miss Bobbie" begins with an improbability. That admitted or condoned, all the rest follows easily. There is a poor clergyman who, having lost his wife, and owning five boys, is chosen as the guardian of his only daughter by a rich squatter while he goes home on a second honeymoon. Roberta Lennox is the young lady's name, which had become Bobbie before she joined the Rev. Mr. Wallace's family. These youths take her neglected education in hand, and the day after her reception the padre comes along to find her practising "climbing up and slithering down the pole," which was the only mode of access to the boys' rabbit hutch. A chequered but a joyous life these six lead. For two years Miss Bobbie is by turns the accomplice, the instigator, the counsellor, and the enemy of these boys, and if there was a dull moment in the parsonage for Bertha or the parson it must have been when the whole six were asleep or off the premises. But chiefly one's heart goes out to that unregenerate rascal Suds, who is the very happiest creation of all Miss Turner's happy gallery of boys. Suds is a young person of great energy, resourcefulness, and audacity. When he wants anything he does not allow false delicacy or any other kind of delicacy to stand in the way. The behaviour of this child at Miss Isobel's luncheon party, especially in the matter of "cakes with pink sugary things on," is fascinatingly bad; but so also is his conduct at his brothers' bean feast and on several other occasions. When the little wretch is good it is all the same, he is delightful—as in his apology to his schoolmaster. This gentleman from a mistaken sense of duty had caned Frederick St. John (which his other name was "Suds"), and at lunch-time relented in thought towards the poor little laddie, who approached.

"A little shadow fell across the sunlit patch at the open door, the 'poor little laddie' was standing there, one small, sturdy lace-up boot on the threshold, one on the gravel outside.

"'Well, what is it, Frederick?' he said, meeting the boy's earnest gaze.

"'You beast, you!' said Suds, very slowly and emphatically, and then he turned and fled homeward for dear life."

The apology is almost as good as the offence. These two people, Suds and Bobbie, give the book all its charming mingling of humour and tenderness; they live by the force of their own vitality, and the other people of the story seem abstractions. For the sake of these wayward, frolicsome, immensely troublesome, natural, and honest youngsters more and greater faults than can be charged against "Miss Bobbie" would be forgiven. Faults there are which the reader may find, but in respect of the two principals this tale is a masterpiece. Only a fine talent could take these two children without an exaggeration or an extenuation, and make the very page vital with their ways and words. In "Miss Bobbie" there is an achievement which ranks very high in the difficult literary art of describing a child. It belongs to the class of "Marjorie Livingstone" and of "W. V."

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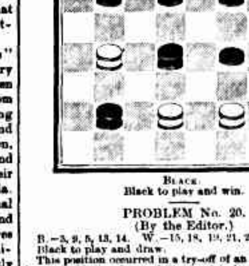
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TO CORRESPONDENTS.

J. D., Albemarle.—When sending positions please send solutions. Thanks.

F. G., Try Again.—You will find by shifting the king on the see-saw principle till you can get it on the double corner line, and draw, if white tries to prevent you, the see-saw draws, by counting 40 moves. The following have correctly solved 15 and 16: G. B., Glebe; G. G., North Sydney; Wills, City; Mack; C. B., Newtown; W. H., Newcastle; C. T.

PROBLEM No. 19.
(By J. D. "Albermarle."
WHITE.



BLACK.
Black to play and win.

PROBLEM No. 20.
(By the Editor.)

B.–3, 9, 5, 13, 14. W.–15, 18, 19, 21, 23.
Black to play and draw.
This position occurred in a try-off of an end game played between Messrs. Lee and Stormont in tourney.

SOLUTIONS.
PROBLEM No. 15.
(By J. Thwaites, St. Peters.)

B–3, Kings 4, 5. W–11, 13, 20. Black to play and win.

5–1	9–6	9–14	11–7	8–11	20–16	16–12
10–9	5–9	1–6	14–10	15–8	2–7	7–3
1–5	6–1	3–8	6–15	4–2.	Black wins.	

PROBLEM No. 16.
(By E. Grant, Alexandria.)

Black–2, 3, 6, 7, 19, 22. White–16, 18, 20, 21, 24, 28. White to play and draw.

24–15	3–19	18–15	6–10	8–3	30–26	2–6
7–11	21–17	25–30	11–8	15–18	3–8	8–11
15–8	22–25	15–11	10–15	20–16, and draw.		

GAME No. 23.—"Whilter."

The following two games were played between Messrs. Stormont and Lee in the Championship Tourney now pending:—

Mr. Lee moved.

11–15	22–18	11–15	19–15	6–15	28–24	a 1–6
23–19	15–22	25–22	10–26	27–23	7–10	23–19
7–11	25–9	8–11	31–8	2–6	21–17	15–18
26–23	5–14	22 17	4–11	24–20	6–9	23–16
9–14	29–25	15–18	17–10	3–7	17–13	S. won.

(a) Instead 1–6, play 10–14, 15–6, 1–10, 23–19, 32–28, 11–15, and Spring Problem No. 20.

GAME No. 24.—"Ayrshire Lassie."

Stormont moved.

11–15	25–22	6–10	7–16	15–29	20–22	16–19
24–20	8–12	22–17	24–20	17–14	26–17	11–7
9–14	29–25	8–11	14–18	10–17	19–23	3–10
22–17	4–8	32–27	20–11	21–14	28–24	14–7
15–19	17–13	11–16	18–23	2–6	12–16	6–10
23–16	10–15	20–11	27–18	30–25	24–20	7–3
12–19	27–24	The game was drawn.				

GAME No. 25.—"Alma."

A championship tourney game played between Messrs. Alcock and Brown.

Alcock moved.

11–15	11–16	16–20	8–12	22–15	6–15	17–10
23–19	26–23	19–16	26–23	11–18	25–22	18–23
8–11	7–11	12–19	4–8	30–26	8–11	20–27
22–17	31–26	23–17	23–19	10–15	22–17	32–23
3–8	9–14	2–11	15–18	19–10	12–16	15–25
25–22	29–25	17–13	After numerous moves the game was drawn.			

NOTES.

The championship tourney is progressing satisfactorily. A few well-played games were contested during the week, showing a marked improvement in the play of several who had entered the tourney for the pleasure and practice it would afford them. One gentleman—Mr. Finn—who had been very unsuccessful, not being able to score a win, beat an opponent in a masterly manner—one who had beaten and held his own with the best. Mr. Mowbray, another gentleman whose chance of winning a prize was never considered, has also shown that he has improved by drawing a game against Mr Warnock, a feat which highly elated him. We must say he is deserving of praise for the able manner in which he drew the game. The following matches have been won since our last:—Amery beat Manley; Miller beat Trumper and Gillespie; Alcock beat Roberts; Drury beat Roberts and Alcock; Warnock beat Lawton, Gillespie, Burns, Finn, and Mowbray; Burns beat Gray and Underwood; Brown beat Roberts; Griffen beat Manley; Trumper beat Brown and Gillespie; Stormont beat Brown and Lawton; Alcock beat Roberts; Lee beat Shaw, Mowbray Finn and Grant; Lawton beat Mowbray; Boyce beat Amery and Grant; Finn beat Lawton; Grant and Trumper drew their match. The following are the scores of the leading players:—Warnock stands at the top, with 14 points to his credit; Boyce and Drury, 10½; Trumper, 9½; Burns, 10; Stormont and Griffen, 9. Warnock and Drury still stand on a level footing, having lost one game each for Mr. John Keep and Son's trophy, which goes to the player who loses the fewest games in the tourney. The Richmond v. Riverstone inter-district match will be played on the 9th, the Prince of Wales's Birthday, at Richmond. It is anticipated that a good muster of chekcerists will be in evidence, and a hard battle will be fought; both sides have been preparing for the encounter for some time. The Richmond players, who are desirous of recovering their lost laurels, are being coached by one of the leading players of New South Wales, and should give a good account of themselves.

Re the world's championship match between Jordan and Stewart, play was to begin on October 2, in the Tradesmen's Hall, Edinburgh.

A BOON TO SUFFERERS.—A well-known stock-dealer and storekeeper announces that, if written, he will reply and state the plan he pursued by which he was restored to health and vigour after years of suffering from Nervous and Physical Weakness, &c. He writes:—"I have no scheme to extort money from anyone whomsoever. I was victimised by quacks and empirics until I lost faith in mankind; but, thank heaven, I am now well, vigorous, and strong, and anxious to make this certain means of cure known to all. Having nothing to sell, I want no money." Address—J. KILLIAN, Storekeeper, Deveyston, S.A.—Advt.

MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC NOTES.

The last news received in Sydney from Mme. Marie Vandervéer Green related the close of her Canadian tour with Mme. Albani in April, 1896, and now the handsome contralto forwards an account of her doings from Capetown. Late last year Mme. Vanderveer Green toured in America with Mr. Plunkett Greene, one of the best-known English baritones, with Rudolph Von Scarpa as pianist. Then early in 1897 the contralto undertook a comprehensive tour of Canada and the States with Signor Foli and the same pianist, the concert direction being that of Messrs. Vert and Harriss. From the programme of the concert last May at the Grand Opera House, Ottawa, we gather that the great basso adheres to the repertoire he was drawing upon when in Sydney with Orlando Harley—"She alone Charmeth my Sadness" (Gounod), "Qui Sdegno" (Mozart), "Off to Philadelphia," "True till Death," &c., &c. On the other hand, Mme. Green is now evidently au fait with German lieder, which figure prominently in all her programmes. Mme. Amy Sherwin informs us that the Brooklyn contralto studied these songs under Miss Joachim, niece of the great violinist, and in London was considered remarkably proficient in them. Mme. Green's tour with Signor Foli embraced all the big cities between Halifax (Nova Scotia) and Vancouver (B.C.), at which point the contralto left for London, and stayed for the Jubilee festivities. On September 21 she made a remarkably successful debut at Good Hope Hall, Capetown, and proposed revisiting Johannesburg and other cities during a hurried tour of six weeks. During next month Mme. Vanderveer Green will be fulfilling concert engagements in London, where she has made her home and permanent headquarters at Portman Mansions.

At the distribution of awards by the Governor of Victoria (Lord Brassey) in connection with the Melbourne examinations of the Associated Board of the Royal College of Music and Royal Academy of Music, there was no honour candidate in the lower division (as in Sydney and Brisbane), and Mr. Samuel Aitken's silver medal therefore remained unclaimed. Miss Betts won the gold medal with 89 marks, as against the 93 marks with which Miss Butler carried off the same prize in Sydney. On the other hand, Mr. Aitken gave an extra gold medal in Melbourne to the only candidate in Australia (Miss Eleanor Henry) who won double honours. Generally there was a higher standard in Melbourne than in Sydney. Here the percentage of passes was 68. In Melbourne it was much higher, a state of affairs which it was understood the Associated Board had come here to improve, for it should not be the object of these visiting bodies to pass as many candidates as possible. However, the Associated Board will retrieve itself by adopting the genuine English syllabus for next year. When that is done the best teachers of Sydney will send in more pupils, and the whole affair will stand upon a sounder basis all round. Mr. Aitken promised that as soon as these examinations paid their way he would recommend the Associated Board to offer scholarships for students in every colony in Australasia. This boon would be vastly appreciated here, and if conferred would do more to attract candidates than any other scheme that could be suggested. Thanks to the business acumen of Mr. Aitken, the visit of himself and Mr. Lee Williams to this part of the world has firmly laid the foundations of an educational enterprise worthy of the heartiest support on all sides. These delegates are now closing their Australian tour at Adelaide.

Mme. Amy Sherwin arrived in Sydney from Tamworth on Thursday, and in pursuance of her Australian tour appeared at Albury last night and will sing there again this evening. The famous soprano has been received with enthusiasm everywhere, but especially at Toowoomba, where people drove many miles to hear her, Lady Nelson being amongst the number. The tour has involved some very hard travelling. After the concert at Armidale, for example, where record business was done, the party left by the 11 p.m. train for Tamworth. Arriving there three hours later, they rested, gave a concert, and left for Sydney the following morning at 2 o'clock. Mme. Sherwin will next appear in Adelaide, where her season opens next Wednesday, and after visiting the Victorian provinces will enter upon her Tasmanian tour. This is the distinguished singer's home, and she will accordingly spend Christmas with relatives at Launceston, where her little fair-haired daughter, named Jeanne Marie, after her sponsors, Jean Paderewski and Marie Marchesi, has been in safe keeping since her arrival in Australia. Sydney concert-goers will not have the pleasure of hearing Mme. Amy Sherwin again until next winter, as her New Zealand tour will occupy the summer months.

In Melbourne "The Gay Parisienne" was staged at the Princess Theatre last Saturday before a crowded "Cup week" house, and was pronounced light and sparkling by the press. In illustration of the theory that, though rather long, the piece possesses nothing heavy in the shape of ballast which could be dispensed with, one critic remarks, "You cannot hope to lighten a vessel by plucking and flinging away the feathers of the fowls on board—and the cargo carried by 'The Gay Parisienne' is all composed of feathers, trifles light as air." Miss Ada Reeve is credited with a genuine hit as Julie Bon-Bon, and is described as a picture of archness, seductiveness, and audacity. This artist, a London actress who has not yet appeared in Sydney, "dances nimbly, coquets daintily, and has a fresh and pleasant soprano voice." Mr. Bert Gilbert, another newcomer, did well as an agile and humorous Pompier. Mr. John Coleman has now been transferred to the role of Ebenezer Honeycomb, played in Sydney first by Mr. George Lauri and later by Mr. John J. Bourke, the latter of whom managed but indifferently in the character. Mr. Bourke evidently did much better in his new part in Melbourne, which is that of Major Fossdyke, rendered "with some approach to the gruff jerkiness which Mr. Fred Kaye made so amusing." At the Theatre Royal Miss Maggie Moore is appearing in "Mrs. Quinn's Twins;" whilst at the Alexandra Miss Blanche Lewis is reviving "Cinders."

The new Adelphi drama, "In the Days of the Duke," by Haddon Chambers and Comyns Carr, had but lately been produced when the mail left. The "Duke" referred to is the Duke of Wellington, a part played by Mr. Charles Fulton. Mr. William Terriss and Miss Millward, as usual, play the chief characters, and Mr. Charles Cartwright and Mr. Laurence Cautley are in the cast. The chief scenes illustrated "There was a sound of revelry by night," at the Duchess of Richmond's house at Brussels on the eve of Waterloo, and the last act took place at Hougomont, just after the battle.

The recent cablegrams notifying that Mr. Wilson Barrett, Miss Jeffries, and other members of that actor's company had already sailed for Australia points to a much earlier season than was at first contemplated. Mr. J. C. Williamson is still in Melbourne, so that no official information as to the plans made for Mr. Wilson Barrett's tour has yet been issued. It is known, however, that pantomime will be the order of the day at Christmas at the Princess Theatre, and it is, therefore, reasonable to suppose that Mr. Wilson Barrett will fill the Christmas date at Her Majesty's Theatre, Sydney. Up to that time the theatre will be occupied by "The Royal Divorce," after which the Knight-Ferrar Company sail for New Zealand.

The "Sign of the Cross" company, having enjoyed a few days' rest in Melbourne after the fatigues of "The Royal Divorce," passed through Sydney yesterday on their way to Brisbane. Miss Ada Ferrar and the other members of the company will produce Wilson Barrett's drama at Brisbane on Monday, Messrs. Williamson and Musgrove having leased the Opera House for that purpose. Mr. Julius Knight will not, however, appear as Marcus Superbus, the role having been allotted to Mr. Gaston Mervale. Mr. Knight has been forced to leave Melbourne for Adelaide, where he will consult his medical adviser, Dr. Way, and he will thence return to Sydney in time to play Napoleon to Miss Ferrar's Josephine at Her Majesty's Theatre about a fortnight hence.

SOME MODERN SCOTTISH POETS.

An interesting and enjoyable lecture, entitled "Some Modern Scottish Poets," was delivered on Thursday evening by Mr. James Inglis at the Parish Hall, Mosman, in aid of the Church debt. The Rev. E. C. Beck occupied the chair. Mr. Inglis pointed out the wonderful admixture of hard practical common sense, religious feeling, and sentiment which characterise the Scot. After dilating on these points he reads extracts from various poems in support thereof, and these were received with evident pleasure and appreciation by a large audience. As befitted the occasion, a Scottish piper was in attendance, and, after a "skirl on the pipes," the lecturer took the audience quite by storm by alluding to the heroic conduct of the Scottish piper in the hills of Afghanistan (as lately reported in the press), who while severely wounded sat under a hail of bullets and piped away as unconcernedly as though on parade. A vote of thanks to Mr. Inglis was carried by acclamation, on the motion of Mr. James Wilshire, seconded by Mr. W. E. Wilson.

THE SHIFTING SCENE.

THROUGH THE ARCADES.

(BY WAMBA.)

Scene: The arcade—any arcade—at 1.30 p.m. Dense crowd of promenaders, loafers, &c.

Attractive Girl (soliloquising): Well, this is what I call very all right, and a precious fool I am, that's all. Said he'd be here at 1.15, and it's quarter to now, and I'm due back in 10 minutes. I wouldn't speak to him now if he came; no, not if he went down on his bended knees. I'm that determined ——"

Jaunty Youth (arriving): I'm so sorry I was late, Cissy; but just as I was going out old Plasters—he's head clerk, you know, now—collared me, and, of course ——"

A. G. (forgetting determination): Oh, I dare say.

J. Y. (with fervour): Honour bright, really. I was a good mind to chuck the whole thing up on the spot; I was really, and I would have if it hadn't been for you (with guile). Old Plasters has got an edge on me ever since I huffed his daughter off.

A. G.: What, the one with the red hair? Ha, ha!

J. Y.: Yes. Hee hee!

A. G. (mollified): Well, come up as far as Farmer's corner (in scornful reminiscence). The one with the red hair? Her!

J. Y. (privately): The red hair did it. I knew it would.

Loud Girl (with friend): What I say, Liz, is, carry it with a bold front and you'll make the min come to you. It was only yesterday that I was going through the muslins, having sneaked down to see—you know who—when old Nixey the foreman pulls me up. "What brings you down here?" see he. "Oh," see I, "I've been down to see Miss Easy, who lives next door to me. I heard she was faint." "Faint!" he ses, "I've heard that story before. You keep in your own department, Miss Cashman." "Faint 'art," I answers, "ne'er won fair lady," and he smiled all over—he couldn't help it. Neat, wasn't it?

Liz (doubtfully): Very, though I don't see what it means. But old Nixey can give you the sack if he likes.

L. G. (fearlessly): Let him; ours ain't the only shop in town. Besides, there's the stage. I know a young lady friend who got the run from Calicoe's place only a month ago, and she comes to me and ses, "Minnie, if you was me would you take to the stage?" I ses that I would; never mind what people say. And now, what do you think? (impressively) she's getting 22s 6d a week and an engagement to go all over the colonies. And there, stupid! (impartially) you don't know how stupid Minnie was. I remember once we were at a social together, and a gentleman comes up to us (we was sitting together) and ses ——

Liz (much bored, and still harping on the "sack"): Oh, let's get back or we'll both have to go on the stage, and (sarcastically) I'm not built that way.

They hurry through arcade. Crowd becomes even denser. Hollow-eyed shopkeepers come to their doors and gaze hungrily at people. Paper boys scream the evening journals. Many inventions in humanity pour over the pavement.

Old Lady (at toy bazaar): Now what I want is something cheap that won't break, something ——

Aristocratic Attendant (with manner of operating surgeon): Boy or girl?

Old Lady (pleased): Oh, it's a little boy, and he is such a little Turk—you wouldn't believe. It was only the other day ——

A. A. (still diagnosing): How old?

Old Lady (testily): I was coming to that. He's about 4 years old, and that strong! Break! he'd break anything, and that's why I want something strong. Now, a nice wooden waggon——

A. A. (with hauteur): We haven't a waggon left—no one goes in for waggons now. What do you think of these glass lustres, now?

Old Lady (aghast): Why, he'd break them up in no time, and swallow the pieces too.

A. A. (imperturbably): So good for a child.

Old Lady: Have you any wood bricks?

A. A. (stolidly): Glass lustres are all the rage. Only 3s 6d.

Old Lady (horrified): Three-and-six! I wanted something at about tenpence.

A. A. (dropping mask): Then you've come to the wrong shop, that's all.

Old lady departs. Aristocratic attendant makes pantomimic signals to friend across the way. Friend comes to the door. They hold animated conversation over the heads and between spaces of passers-by.

A. A. (dully): Things are only middling this morning. The old lady who just left wanted the whole shop for ninepence.

Friend: That was all Sir Garneo, wasn't it? About as good as the monument who was here just now. Thought she'd take half a dozen paper serviettes if she could get them for three farthings. Had her carriage, too, at the end of the arcade; but I wasn't having any.

Smart Clerk (passing): Quite right, miss—I wouldn't if I were you (with sympathy). Don't you be led away like that, Florrie.

Florrie (amused and attracted): Really, are you speaking to me?

S. C. (dashingly): Of course—who else could I speak to?

They fall into rapid conversation. Aristocratic attendant across the way makes frantic efforts to divert friend's attention. Friend heeds her not—the charm of the smart clerk renders her "oblivious of all." She listens to the old, old Arcadian story—the simple creature. Smart clerk departs presently, with the enigmatic words, "Half-past eight, then." Florrie turns her attention to friend across the way again.

Florrie (crescendo): Excuse me breaking off so abrupt, Jessie.

Jessie (tartly): Oh, don't mind me.

Florrie (who doesn't): I met him at a dance about a week ago. He's such a nice fellow, and—well (giggling), what do you think (confides humorous, delicate secret, in Sister Jane's most penetrating top-notes to Jessie).

Jessie (in equally strident aside): I don't believe it. They all talk like that at first. What is he?

Florrie (porudly and loudly): A produce merchant.

Jessie (repeating inside): That will do (mutters some bitter things about the credulity of some girls).

Florrie (loquitur): That knocked her, I think.

Comfortable City Person (greeting acquaintance): Hello, Tompkins, what brings you here, of all people in the world? This is the first time I've been here in my life at this time, and it will be the last. Of all the beastly pushing, scrambling dens I've dreamt of this is the worst.

Tompkins: I might ask the same question of you. The fact is my wife said she'd be at Bullion's, the jeweller's, about this time, and I thought I would come round and pick her up.

C. C. P. (banteringly): Oh, yes, of course, your wife. Ha! ha!

Tompkins (with dignity): Yes; my wife.

C. C. P. (seriously): Of course your wife. At the same time, Tompkins, old man, I shouldn't care to ask my wife to meet me here. To ta, old fellow (to himself), I think I rubbed him there.

Tompkins (to himself), I don't suppose you would. All the more reason why I should.

They go their devious ways.

YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

The general committee held its monthly meeting on Thursday, Lady Manning presiding. There were also present Mrs. A. Goodlet, Mrs. John Hardy, Mrs. Dovey, Mrs. Threlkeld, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. B. Palmer, Mrs. E. Carr Hordern, Mrs. Webb, Mrs. Shadforth, Mrs. E. H. Sully, Mrs. W. Cowper, and Misses French, Forbes, Mulliens, and the secretaries. A vote of thanks was unanimously accorded to Mrs. Threlkeld, who had brought in £22 in subscriptions. On the motion of Miss French, seconded by Mrs. B. Palmer, Lady Manning was elected acting president during the period of Mrs. J. H. Goodlet's leave of absence. Application for affiliation was received from a new branch at Marrickville, numbering 25 members, and was granted. The committee directed that a letter of sympathy be sent to Miss Norton in her present bereavement.

The Factory Helpers' Union quarterly meeting was held at the institute, 49 Phillip-street, on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Cocks, hon. secretary of the F.H.U., conducted, the address being given by Miss Rennie. Encouraging reports were brought in by the different visitors and by the factory choir. More voices were urgently asked for to form a second band in connection with the latter, which is unable to meet all the demands made upon it.

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A CRUISE IN THE TAVIUNI

AMONG SOUTH SEA ISLANDS.

No. 2.—THE CAPITAL OF FIJI.

Woolloomooloo! Woolloo!
Leave white man and eat him too.
White man strong, but that no matter,
Brown man fat but white man fatter;
Put him on hot stone and cake him,
Crisp and crackling soon we'll make him.
Round and round the dainty goes,
Eat his fingers, eat his toes;
His body shall our palates tickle,
And then we'll put his head in pickle.

Chorus:
On the white man dine and sup,
What your teeth and eat him up.

Since this cheerful and hilarious cannibalistic lyric was first printed great changes have taken place in Fiji. Through missionary influence the Fijians long ago left off strangling the wives of high chiefs for the purpose of making their graves comfortable and providing them with pleasant company on their way to shadowland. They many years since ceased to launch their war canoes over living victims, and to feed like ghouls. Perhaps it is hardly fair, however, to make such a reference. It is not considered necessary to recall the fact that ancient Britons stained their bodies with woad, or to note the lapse of time between the rejection of blue dye and the recognition of blue blood. Besides, we have it suggested on the authority of "a peripatetic parson" that one of the man-eating chiefs of Ba felt such penitential qualms that he sought the aid of a dentist, "preferring artificial, civilised teeth to those that had been defiled by masticating human flesh." But for a physiological difficulty he might have done similar penance in regard to his stomach! The typical Fijian is a fairly conscientious man, and perhaps this dental incident may be taken as a physical illustration of the sincerity of his repentance.

The approach to Suva, the capital of the erstwhile cannibal islands, is commonplace enough in its circumstances. A short distance from this principal port of Viti Levu—or Big Fiji—the ship is boarded by the local health officer, it receives pratique and goes alongside a public wharf on which is a tramline worked by manual labour. And instead of warriors armed with clubs and spears there is awaiting the arrival of the vessel a motley group of fine-looking coloured people scantily dressed, good tempered, well oiled, and not very obtrusive, although many of them have a keen eye to business. Generally in physique they are not equal to the crew of the doctor's boat, who are mop-headed, broad-shouldered, and deep-chested, with well developed biceps muscles, and strong lower limbs—bronze athletes, in fact, giving one an idea of the race in its fighting days. The majority of the people about the quay afford evidence of flabbiness induced by an indolent civilisation.

When the Taviuni drew up to the wharf the scene became interesting enough, and the work of discharging cargo was carried on with vigour. In the throng were Fijians, Samoans, and various types of Polynesian humanity. Absalom could not have been more proud of his hair than were some of these swarthy creatures of their hirsute adornments. Dark-brown and black filaments were tricked out to an enormous size; several of the men had their polls plastered with lime, and others whose hair had been previously limed had locks of fawn colour. Two or three wore bright flowers behind their ears. But these dandies in waistcloth and oil worked with a will, and their vigorous movements contrasted with the general indifference to "hard graft" which is common to the Fijian.

The island as it is approached from the sea presents features of considerable grandeur. The mountains are bold and peculiar in their formation, the most prominent object being a remarkable rock called "The Devil's Thumb." It resembles the upturned thumb of the human hand. This shape is characteristic of many rocky elevations in the group. Generally thumbs are up in Fiji. The mountains are all somewhat sombre viewed from a distance, but around Suva they are richly clothed with verdure, and so, with sunshine on the hills and cool deep shadows in the ravines between heat-smitten rocks and many pretty homesteads nestling among strangely beautiful trees in the foreground, the eye rests upon a very attractive tropical panorama. The beach at low tide is not pleasing, being covered with mud. At high tide the appearance of the town is completely picturesque. Along by the bay is a parade made of coral, and not having to bear heavy traffic it is kept in good order. It goes through an avenue and past houses occupied for the most part by natives. Some of these dwelling places are built in the ordinary wooden shanty style, about which there is no romance. The half-opened doors disclose glimpses of domestic life—lightly-clad native figures and animated bronze statuettes. One cannot help thinking that if it were not for the salubrity of the climate greater attention would have to be paid to the sanitary arrangements of the town. There is no lack of novelty, but the juxtaposition of certain forms of civilisation is sometimes startling. Houses built in native style are in harmony with the surroundings. Their internal arrangements, too, are suggestive of ease. Fine mats laid over grass and leaves and ferns make a floor as soft and noiseless as though it were covered with fine Turkey carpet. But when the visitor finds inside a native dwelling of this kind a modern chest of drawers, a cane-bottomed sofa, a round occasional table, a silver dinner gong, and when on making his exit he sees a woman on a bicycle and a coloured man with a cart removing a piano, he perceives that the texture of aboriginal life is very much patched with civilisation, and wonders how in the next decade the change will affect his ideal Fijian.

The native gardens are not well kept. The growth of weeds is too fast for the working pace, which is regulated "by the day," and not as though the horticulturalist were "on the job." But there is about the place sufficient that is marvellously quaint and picturesquely strange to make the visit interesting. And, of course, one has to remember that he is in a British colony. Bearing this in mind it is much better to make the round trip from Sydney than from Auckland, because the interest goes on increasing from the beginning to the end of the voyage. The flags of the Royalist and the Penguin, which floated on the harbour when the Taviuni arrived—the Custom-house, the Courts of Justice, the Printing Office, and Government House—a not very imposing building some distance from the centre of the town—proclaimed the new nationality. The departed regime is represented by a fine obelisk in memory of the last and greatest of Fijian monarchs, which bears the inscription:—

Cacobau sa bale I peperuari 1883.

The distinguished Governor who proclaimed the new colony in 1874—the late Lord Rosmead, then Sir Hercules Robinson—is gone too, and so are nearly all who were his responsible advisers at that time; but the cession he then accepted on behalf of her Majesty the Queen laid the foundation of the commercial prosperity of the Fijian group. About the town there is an abundance of bright and fragrant flowers. Fine specimens of hibiscus and frangipani are to be seen full of bloom by the wayside; the canna and the allamanda are luxuriant, and the Amaryllis belladonna is dazzling in the sunshine. The taro (Caladium esculentum) has leaves of splendid dimensions; and crotons, which grow like weeds, have many special glories of form and colour. While the Taviuni remained at Suva the annual flower show took place in the public schoolroom, which was filled with choice flowers and graced by European ladies. The exhibits included ferns and flowers, jams and jellies, dressed dolls, parasols and umbrellas tastefully decorated with blooms and creepers, amateur cabinet-making, in which Fijian woods were used, locally made soap, fancy needlework, painting by Suvan amateurs, and vegetables like those commonly used in Sydney. Notwithstanding the attractiveness of some of the local flora, that part of the exhibition in which the promoters seemed to take greatest pride was the display of plants and flowers not indigenous to Fiji, but which have associations of greater value than either the most perfect beauty or the most delicate perfume.

The town of Suva is a strange mixture of the old and the new. Fronting the bay are shops and hotels, some fairly well kept, and others in which order and cleanliness are not dominant. There is no pretension to style, and for the most part the windows, like the natives, are indifferently dressed. In the early morning barefooted Polynesian men and women—mostly women—are abroad, carrying on their heads baskets of granadillas, mummy apples (fruit like a delicate musk melon with seeds containing pepsine), soursops (like mammoth cherimoyers), taro (edible calladium), and other delicacies. Later on the streets become more attractive. At almost every turn the traveller rubs against Fijians of distinction,—former potentates, high chiefs who, but for the change of Government, would now be princes in the land. One notable figure with white sulu standing under the verandah of an hotel, and looking every inch a king, owned the land on which Government House now stands; another in immaculate attire has descended in right line from the ex-King of Fiji. Hard by is a magnificent creature with loose trousers from waist to knee, good brown calves, and well-made feet. He has round his head a handkerchief from which his hair shoots out like a plume, adorned with bright green leaves. He is carrying a plate of lunch and a pot of tea, probably for some plebeian! As a contrast, look at that man with a head like a "thrum" mop. His girdle is of bright-coloured strips, and the rest of his dress cocoanut oil. He carries a long knife, and walks up and down without any apparent object. Then there are the town police in native costume bearing staves of office; prisoners being marched to their daily work; Eastern women with silver bracelets and anklets and rings on fingers and toes; promenading Fijian girls in bright-coloured smocks, and little dusky children in oil skipping about like rabbits in a warren. "Motley's the only wear," and variety and incongruity are the chief characteristics. There is, of course, another life: that of the officials and merchants and principal business people. One of these last-mentioned entertains his friends and visitors with Italian opera by means of a phonograph. Then there is the Fiji Club—a cosy place standing in a little wilderness of tropical trees and shrubs, and having at the back a pleasant shade formed by trellised granadillas. Suva is incorporated, and its municipal affairs are managed by a Board, which controls the roads, lighting, and sanitary affairs, and levies rates for that purpose as well as for providing a school fund to be managed by the School Board. The street lamps are lighted with kerosene, and most of the public roads have a fair quantity of grass on them. The churches are Anglican (Holy Trinity and the Church of the Redeemer); Wesleyan; Presbyterian (St. Andrew's); and Roman Catholic (St. Paul's and the Sacred Heart). A Roman Catholic Cathedral is in course of erection on one of the most beautiful sites in the town. This is being constructed of imported freestone, and when finished will be a magnificent edifice. A hurried sketch of Suva, however, would be incomplete without reference to its native lounging-place, which is to the coloured inhabitants what the Queen's Statue and Hyde Park are to the unattached of Sydney. There is no suggestion of any

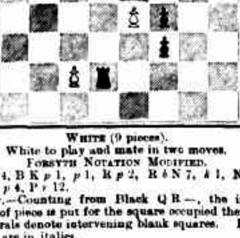
—hawthorn bush with seats beneath the shade
For talking age and whispering lovers made.

Sentimental seclusion of that kind is quite unnecessary. But there is a "spreading tree" of large dimensions. It is the "Navatuku"—big-leaved and umbrageous, protected by a square picket fence and having on each side benches which are occupied all day long by coloured people whose only object in life seems to be to sit and smoke and talk and kill time. Many who cannot find room on the seats squat on the ground in a dusky group. Their general appearance is Oriental. They do not assume attitudes like those seen in our public parks, where antipathy to exertion is expressed in so many poses that charm lovers of decorum! If a Navatukuan were sent to inquire into and report upon the condition of Hyde Park "dossers," he would probably say that they spend their time in uninterrupted ease beneath the shade of beautiful trees, and that although there are neither cocoanuts nor breadfruit to be found in the vicinity the park dwellers, nevertheless, manage to live in a paradise scarcely inferior to his own. It would have to be admitted, however, that in the matter of deportment the Fijian is entitled to the palm.

CHESS.

Secretaries are invited to furnish club news of general interest; correspondents, the scores of unpublished games and original problems. These should be accompanied by diagrams and full analyses. A register is published from time to time of clubs open to play team and telegraphic matches, time and occasion suiting.

PROBLEM No. 171.
"S.M.H." THIRD PROBLEM TOURNEY.
"Au Reveil."
BLACK (9 pieces).



WHITE (9 pieces).
White to play and mate in two moves.
FORSYTH NOTATION MODIFIED.

3 Q 4, B K p 1, p 1, K p 2, R b N 7, k 1, N n 4, P p 7, p 4, P r 12.

Key.—Counting from Black Q R —, the initial letter of piece is put for the square occupied thereby. Numerals denote intervening blank squares. Black pieces are in italics.

PROBLEM No. 166.—"Steady does it."
Key move: Q—R 2.

As a number of solvers have submitted incorrect solutions, we give the list of likely tries and the moves by which they are defeated:—R takes Kt, R to B, Q to Kt 2, Kt to B 5; Q to Kt 3; Kt to B 5; Q to R; Kt to Kt 5; B takes B; B takes B; K to B 2; K to K 3.

Correct solutions from:—F. G. P., H. Layton, A. V. Stenning, T. J. Cole, F. Smith, Ettie Olley, R. Patton, J. Ellis jun., Bertha S., A. Hackett, Beta, J. D., H. R., Moolbong, J. E. O. Henry, A. F. L., E. J. Stenning, E. M. Fry, J. C. Duffy, Quaero, J. W. Hillyer, T. A. Dixon, Waratah, Surma, Molar, Stieglitz, C. J. Mead, J. Harvey, J. Svenson.

Correct solutions not abovementioned have reached us too late to score in tourney. They will, however, be acknowledged in our next issue.

The "Sydney Morning Herald" Tenth Solution Tourney.—Messrs. A. F. L., Beta, Believer, Bona, C. J. Mead, E. M. Fry, E. J. Stenning, Eureka, F. J. Brothers, F. G. P., F. Smith, G. T. Gell, J. Steele, J. Svenson, J. Connell, J. Harvey, J. W. Dick, J. W. Hillyer, J. A. H., J. C. Duffy, Murex, Molar, M. Grimwood, O. E. Albers, R. Allen, R. Patton, T. A. Dixon, T. H. Jameson, Mrs. Bertha S., and Miss Ettie Olley solved the series, and are entitled to mementos of their success, as also is Miss Anna E. in virtue of the concession of a point; while Messrs. A. Hackett, D. R. M., J. D., J. Anderson only missed one. We have pleasure in offering the winners choice of the following works:—Law's "Two-move Chess Problem," Rayner's "Problems," Gossip's "Vade Mecum," Gunsberg's "Chess Openings," and Mortimer's "Chess Openings." Any competitor who has already won the abovementioned works, on advising us, will receive an extended choice. We shall be glad to receive the name of the book chosen, together with name and address, on a detached slip.

NOTES.

Our third problem tourney, entries for which were receivable until 1st instant, has closed with 79 competing positions (Olive II., Prenez Garde, Asteroid, and Zenda II. having come to hand since last we went to press). Duplicates are now in the hands of Mr. J. J. Glynn, the judge, and his awards will be made known in due course.

Intercolonial Chess.—New South Wales v. Queensland.—The selection committee have chosen the following players to represent this colony on Tuesday next:—Messrs. Britton, Conroy, Crane, Hall, Henderson, Horrocks, Jonas, Linden, Miles, and Scott. It is to be regretted that the old plan of choosing the team outright has been adopted. The one Queensland has made use of is in our opinion far preferable, namely, to choose as certainties those who tower over the others, and let all the remainder who have the necessary qualification play off for their boards. It may be urged that the players chosen are as good as those left out, but this is not sufficient. To justify the system they should be unquestionably stronger.

The Sydney Suburban Chess Association.—Ryde v. Burwood.—This match was played at the rooms of the latter on 28th ultimo, and resulted in a victory for the visitors by 5 to 3, with 1 unfinished:—

Ryde.—(1) absent, 0; (2) Mr. Glynn, 1; (3) Mr. North, 1; (4) Mr. Clifton, ½; (5) Mr. Letchfield, *; (6) Mr. Trevett, 1; (7) Mr. P. Trevett, 0; (8) Mr. Power, ½; (9) Mr. Britten, ½. Total, 5.

Burwood.—(1) Mr. Miles, 1; (2) Mr. Candlish, 0; (3) Mr. Friend, 0; (4) Mr. Bethune, ½; (5) Dr. Hetherington, *; (6) Mr. Smith, 0; (7) Mr. Hodgson, 1; (8) Mr. Barry, ½; (9) Mr. M'Kay, 0. Total, 3.

* Unfinished. Referred to the council for adjudication.

The Sydney Chess Club Three-life Tourney has furnished some interesting games, and the one we publish between Messrs. Wallis and H. Taylour is not the least so. Each competitor's last life was at stake. Mr. Wallis is a careful and painstaking player, and his annotations repay study.

WHITE—Mr. Wallis. BLACK—Mr. Taylour.
Queen's Gambit Declined.

	White	Black		White	Black
1.	PQ4	PQ4	24.	PKt6	RxP
2.	PQB4	PK3	25.	RxP ch	KKt
3.	KtQB3	KtKB3	26.	QRB	RxKtP
4.	BKt5	BK2	27.	RB8ch	KKt2
5.	PK3	QKtQ2	28.	R (R8) R7 ch(f)	KB3
6.	KtKB3	Castles	29.	RBch	KKt4
7.	QKt3	PxP	30.	RR5ch	KxP
8.	BxP	KtKt3	31.	RxP	RQ7ch
9.	BQ3	KKtQ4	32.	KK3	KtB4ch (g)
10.	PKR4	PKB3	33.	RxKtch	RxB
11.	QB2	PKR3	34.	R(B)xB	RKR(h)
12.	KtxKt(a)	KtxKt	35.	RB4ch	KB6
13.	BxRP(b)	PxB	36.	PKt7	R(R)Q
14.	BR7ch	KR	37.	RBch	KKt6
15.	QKt6	BKt5ch	38.	RKt5ch	KB6
16.	KB(c)	QK2	39.	RxB	R(Q7)Q8ch
17.	KtKt5	BPxKt	40.	KK4	RKKt8
18.	RPxP	QB2(d)	41.	RxRch	KxR
19.	QxQ	KxQ	42.	RxP	KKt5
20.	RK4(e)	KtxPch	43.	RxBP	KKt4
21.	KK2	KtB4	44.	RxP and wins.	
22.	PKKt4	KtxPch			
23.	KQ3	PK4			

Notes by Mr. Wallis.

(a). White now contemplated the sacrifice of the Bishop, 12, B x P, P x B; 13, B R 7 (ch.) K R; 14, Q Kt 6, Q K; 15, Q x R P, R B 2; 16, B Kt 6 disch K Kt; 17, Kt K Kt 5, B B; 18, B x R (ch), Q x B; 19, Kt x Q, B x Q; 20, Kt x B (ch), and wins; but if 14, R Kt 13, B x R, Q x B; 16, Q x P (ch), Q R 2; 17, Q x Q (ch), K x Q. White con d only hope to draw.

(b). Too late. He is forced into an unsound sacrifice now, as 13, B K B 4, would be very bad.

(c). Fearing if 16, K K 2, Kt B 5 (ch); 17, P x Kt, P K 4.

(d). A blunder. Q x P wins out of hand.

(e). From this point the game is highly instructive. White keeps up the pressure.

(f). Tempting the K into the open. Black should accept the perpetual check.

(g). If 32, P Q B 4; 33, R B 4 (ch), K Kt 6; 34, R Kt 5 (ch), K R 7; 35, P Kt 7, B K 3; 36, R R 4 (ch), B R 6; 37, R R 5, R Q 7 (ch); 38, K K 3, R K 7 (ch). Black draws by perpetual check.

(h). Forced or mate in four, and with the Bishop goes the game.

POULTRY AND KENNEL NOTES.

COLLIE JOTTINGS.

It cannot be denied that at shows nowadays the number of narrow-headed collies is larger than formerly; but this may be partly accounted for by the fact that so much attention has been paid by judges to coat that it has become the fashion to show young collies while their puppy coat lasts. Hence a dog which when full grown will have a correct head, at eight or nine months old will look a trifle greyhoundy. Critics hardly allow sufficiently for the thickening of skull that must come with age; however, in many cases the narrowness of head in prize-winning collies has been accompanied by a diminution of intelligence. Collies undoubtedly are being greatly inbred, and harm will arise unless breeders now guard against the excessive fineness of head that must necessarily flow from too much inbreeding, and against the degeneracy that is sure to follow if the evil is allowed to go on. Where there ought to be 100 fathers it will be found there are only 20. In many instances without knowing it, breeders are mating their bitches in the way to produce degeneracy and weakness in their stock. People always were slaves to fashion, and usefulness goes to the wall. How often do we see dogs exhibited narrow in skulls, short in body, no bone to speak of, and not larger than Pomeranians? Again, there is danger lest the intelligence, the working powers, and the usefulness of the collie should be sacrificed for what will succeed in the show ring and afterwards sell for a high figure. The great aim of the breeder should be to combine excellence with beauty. The material for breeding the best stock is ready at hand, and if too much inbreeding be avoided, and careful thought be used in mating, there is no reason why collies should not be produced not only beautiful to look at, but also full of intelligence and excellent at their work.

INFLUENCE OF PREVIOUS SIRE.

A great many people have a very erroneous notion regarding the influence of the previous sire on the produce. Many cases are on record in which bitches had litters by dogs of other breeds than their own, and subsequent offspring by dogs of their own kind exhibited traces of the previous sires. Some instances, yet extremely rare, have been put forward by authenticated authorities, to be denied or explained away on the hypothesis of coincidence. Various reasons and theories have been set forth explaining these exceptional phenomena. A well-known authority, the late Sir Everett Millais of England, gave it his endorsement that the life-giving germ can remain in the ovary and not be ripened and discharged for years afterwards, producing the modifying influence described. This theory seems to be incapable of proof or disproof, the careful student can but acknowledge that it is plausible. Another theory is that the influence of the previous sire is due to maternal impression, consequently is purely mental, but this cannot be accepted, for puppies "in utero" are in every sense parasites, therefore beyond any influence. But if this was due to maternal impression all the members of the litter would likely be affected, whereas as a rule only one or two at the most (as given by those who have written from experience) have exhibited any influence. This theory is vague, unsatisfactory, and opposed to reason; but the fact to be emphasised is that many people labour under the absurd impression that a victim of misalliance is practically ruined for breeding purposes, and in consequence no small number are destroyed. All this is surprising in face of the fact that the influence is rarely felt, and only a few cases are ever mentioned by breeders of long standing. It is not necessary that a victim of misalliance should be killed merely because of the accident, or even considered in the slightest degree of less value for breeding purposes. There is one more important question to be considered, and that is which is the more important element, the sire or the dam? Sir Everett Millais, who made many experiments in hybridising, found that in all instances, whether the hybrids were in animal or vegetable life, the weight was on the side of the male parent. And as regards dogs, in the light of the evidence offered by him and general experience of old breeders, it is safe to accept that when the sire is inbred, in form and external characteristics the produce resembles him rather than the dam. To sum up, it is a question which has been studied, and among many not much credence is placed in the theories offered so far.

"CONSUMPTION" IN POULTRY.

At different times we have referred to indigestion, roup, and other diseases, describing symptoms and treatment in each case. A disease akin to both, and which not unfrequently supervenes, is consumption. Although not so common, yet now and again cases occur. It may arise from cold or damp, their houses being in an unsanitary condition, which soon affects even the healthiest birds. Another cause is allowing the drinking water to remain too long in the vessels, and not scrubbing out daily. These items are generally those which sow the first seeds of consumption, even in cases where it is not hereditary. The first symptoms are a cough, which often continues despite all remedies; the comb turns white and begins to droop; the bird's strength gets less every day. When such a state of things exists there is no fear in pronouncing the malady consumption, and a permanent cure is hopeless when the bird has become weak, but if treated early recovery may be looked for. The breeder or poultry-keeper should always be on the look out, and watch each bird carefully, and no time be lost in treating it when first noticed to be suffering. Consumption in fowls is hereditary, and if known to exist in a certain strain, precaution should be taken to check its progress, and never breed from a bird whose constitution is weak. The sick bird should be removed to a dry warm yard; the house or pen should be free from draught, at the same time be well ventilated. Administer half a teaspoonful of Parrish's chemical food, mixed with same quantity of water twice a day for a week, and give also after feeding a little (half teaspoonful) of cod liver oil. All food given should be of an easily digestible nature and non-stimulating, repeated a little at a time, and as often as the patient will eat. It must be borne in mind that the digestive organs are always affected in cases of consumption, and therefore should have as little to do as possible at one time. Finally dispose of all birds that show this disease, for if cured it will manifest itself perhaps in the next generation.

Kill off all the wasters to make room for the best stock. One of the greatest mistakes that can possibly be made is to let the chickens be crowded either in their coops or runs. If they are too young to kill for table consumption it is better to remove to another run by themselves, and a marked difference will be observed in those from whom they have been separated. It is a most important thing to keep the chickens intended for show constantly growing and never neglect them. When the wasters are removed it is advisable to separate the pullets from the cockerels. Both will do better when parted. Also the adult birds should be looked over, and any not wanted should be cleared out as opportunity offers. By so doing the feed bill will be reduced, and those left will thrive better.

POULTRY "IN-BREEDING."

In the category of exhibition poultry there are special representatives of flesh, eggs, quality, early maturity, early layers, all sorts, sizes, colours, &c., to suit all and every taste and requirement. Every breed is possessed of some or many special virtues, which under culture may be further developed and turned to use, the whole forming a very imposing collection, with beauty and utility conspicuous in most cases. It is in the conception of new breeds and propagation or cultivating and refining of others and the preservation and improvement of old breeds that the work of the "fancier" comes in, and in which he is the mainstay of the whole poultry creation. From the best pedigree stock the only reliable crosses for market poultry are attained by mating with strong barndoor crossbreds improved in every essential quality. In producing market poultry, the body, bulk, and quality of flesh and rapid growth are the chief objects, but when feather, colour, beauty, and all the characteristics for exhibition are concerned the breeder must to a certain extent "in-breed," for the judicious intermingling of a strain is necessary in order to develop special features. The continual close in-breeding leads rapidly to weakness in all its varied forms—superficial, organic, and structural. Therefore it is injudicious to follow those who are always advising much in-breeding, which always ends in the development of all the ills of a weakly strain, in which chronic roup and deformities are the conspicuous features; also it leads to physical degeneracy of flesh, frame, and fertility until a race of dwarfs is the result. In this colony a certain fancier of a most useful breed of fowls continued in-breeding to such an extent that although he retained beautiful shape and marking, he lost size and constitution. In a really useful strain for which profit can be seen there must be no ailment, no physic, no coddling.

Sometimes dogs take fits occasioned by the presence of worms. When a case occurs give the dog at once a little brandy and water, and if he comes round insert a seton at the back of the head, and if prostrate administer some light refreshment, such as beef tea, or egg beaten up in milk. Give afterwards as a medicine the following:—Spt. ætheris nit., liq. ammon., acet. conc., as two drachms; potass nitratis, one drachm; water to six drachms. Dose: Two tablespoonfuls every four hours (for adult dogs). Unfortunately fits of this description are followed by others, therefore treatment is of urgent necessity.

The Bulli Poultry, Pigeon, Canary, and Dog Society's first exhibition closed on Saturday evening, and proved in every way a success. It was held under the rules of the N.S.W. P.P. and Dog Society. A number of fanciers from Sydney attended and judged in the different sections. Although the classes were small the quality was excellent, especially among the game. The dogs were benched better than at most country shows, and if held at a better time of the year in future the show will bring a number of exhibits from the metropolis.

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AUSTRALASIAN ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the council of the Australasian Association for the Advancement of Science was held on the 4th instant at the Royal Society's house, with Mr. H. C. Russell in the chair. Sixteen members attended. The permanent hon. secretary, Professor A. Liversidge, stated that a letter had been received from Mr. A. B. Moncrieff, Engineer-in-Chief of the South Australian Government Railways, accepting the presidency of section H (architecture and engineering); also one from Mr. P. Baracchi, Government Astronomer of Victoria, accepting the presidency of section A (astronomy, mathematics, and physics). In the latter section the name of Mr. R. L. J. Ellery was added as a vice-president. Additional papers were promised to the following sections:—For section D (biology): "On Sight- and Smell-feeding Australian Fishes," by Dr. Gregg Wilson; "Nests and Eggs of the Honeyeaters, or Meliphagous Birds of Australia," by A. J. Campbell; "Notes and Observations on the Range of Vision of Some Araneids," by W. J. Rainbow. For section E (geography): "Sixty Years' Progress of Geographical Discovery, 1837-1897," by Mr. A. C. Macdonald. For section F (ethnology and anthropology): "Proposal for a Bureau of Ethnology in Australasia," by Mr. A. Hamilton. For section J (mental science and education): "The Effectual Teaching of Natural Science in the Higher Schools," by the Rev. Walter W. Mantell; and the titles of two papers previously promised, viz., "The Psychology of Attention," by the Rev. N. J. Cocks, and "The Ethical Element in Education," by the Rev. George Littlemore. For section C (geology and mineralogy): "Further Evidences of Glacial Action in the Bacchus Marsh District," by Mr. C. C. Brittlebank, Mr. G. Sweet, and Professor David. The hon. secretary stated that research committees had communicated their intention to report at the coming Sydney session on "The Vernacular Names of Australian Birds," "On the Occurrence of Glacial Boulders at Yellow Cliff, Crown Point station, Finke Valley, Central Australia," and "On the Evidences of Glacial Action in the Port Victor and Inman Valley Districts, South Australia."

MANLY COTTAGE HOSPITAL.

A meeting of the committee of the Manly Cottage Hospital was held on Thursday, when Mr. John Woods (president) occupied the chair, and there were in attendance Mr. W. T. Smellie (hon. treasurer), Mr. W. H. Fletcher (hon. secretary), Dr. Thomas, Dr. Watkins, Mesdames W. T. Smellie, Owen Carroll, W. H. German, John Woods, W. J. Douglass, Miss Warburton, Messrs. Alexander Dean, C. C. Tucker, C. G. Warburton, W. J. Douglass, H. E. Williams, J. F. Walker, J. Duncan, E. R. Scarr, A. G. M. Friend, W. G. Hosking, and William Kay. The hon. treasurer (Mr. W. T. Smellie) reported the bank balance at credit, £167 13s 6d; donations handed in at this meeting, £14 3s 8d; proceeds of the recent Children's Bazaar, now brought in, £25 8s 4d, making a total credit £207 5s 6d apart from £400 at deposit. The matron's report stated that seven patients were in wards on October 1, 12 had been admitted, 10 discharged, 1 died, and there remained 8. House accounts for the month to the amount of £25 19s 7d were passed for payment. Mr. W. T. Smellie proposed, Dr. Thomas seconded, and it was carried with acclamation,—"That a vote of thanks be accorded to Miss Nellie German (hon. treasurer) and to Miss Cissie Robey (hon. secretary), and to all the young ladies who took part in the Children's Bazaar, for the energy they displayed and the successful work they performed in that connection." The building committee reported that in the contract now in progress there was an item of £15 for operating ward fittings, but that a generous subscriber had offered to donate fittings at a cost of £100 without further expense to the institution, and the committee recommended the acceptance of the offer. The meeting unanimously adopted the suggestion. The hon. secretary announced that the hospital was in need of donations of books and pictures, and trusted that these wants would be liberally supplied.

NEW MUSIC.

Messrs. Nicholson and Co. publish Mr. August Wiegand's pianoforte version of his "Souvenir de Paris," bearing a lithographed view of the French capital from the Seine, and a portrait of the composer. The city organist has occasionally performed this charming morceau at the Town Hall, and it may be recommended to pianists of moderate ability who like a tender and dreamy melody. The "Souvenir de Paris" is dedicated to Mme. Biard d'Aunet.

The new pieces for pianoforte forwarded by Messrs. W. H. Paling and Co. may be described as superior salon pieces of light calibre. Seven such are from the pen of Felix Borowski. "Trois Novelettes" are published separately. "Le Coquette," which is appropriately gay and shallow, is in gavotte time. The "Mennett" is rather original in the opening, which lacks the dignity of the true minuet, but on the second page the composer enters upon the stately measure described in the title. The best of the three novelties is the valsette, a sparkling little waltz which forms a captivating salon piece. The "Valse-Barcarolle" of the "Morceaux de Genre" is piquant and vivacious. The syncopated effects in the "Duo d'Amour" would make the graceful piece rather difficult for young pianists. The "Caprice Pompadour" is easy to play, and would prove a popular drawing-room piece. The "Melodie" is a pretty piece somewhat in the style of an étude. Nicolai von Wilm has composed several "Petites Pieces Caracteristiques." Of the two under our cover now before us, "Coucou dans la Foret" and "Retraite Militaire," the latter may be praised as a bright and taking little piece. The same composer's "Esquisses Lyriques" is represented by No. 1 "Melodie," musicianly and marked by tender sentiment. Paul Wach's "Le Toreador" is remarkably spirited, and possesses plenty of characteristic "colour." The "Petit Rondeau Brillant," by Carl Bohm, sparkles along like a streamlet, with a delightful effect of gaiety and freshness. All these pieces are published by Laudy and Co., of London.

GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

Magazines.—Senior-Constable B. Hynes to be an inspector of magazines.

Special Powers.—Mr. T. E. M'Nevin, P.M., Parramatta, to exercise at Penrith, Katoomba, Windsor, Richmond, and St. Albans, the special powers authorised by the Clerks of Petty Sessions Act.

Licensing.—Mr. T. E. M'Nevin, P.M., Parramatta, to be deputy licensing magistrate of the Licensing Courts for Penrith and Windsor; Sergeant D. Deane to be a licensing sub-inspector for Grafton. The undermentioned members of the Police Force to be district inspectors: Port Stephens, Sergeant W. Mayo; Manning River, Sergeant A. Stone; Wollombi, Senior-constable G. Shanaghan; Hillgrove, Sergeant J. T. Biffen; Walcha, Sergeant A. Edwards; Glen Innes, Senior-sergeant, J. Flynn. Sergeant T. Muldoon to act temporarily as district inspector for Forbes.

Warden's Clerks.—Mr. W. C. Geekie to act temporarily as warden's clerk at Tenterfield, and Mr. C. C. Vindin at Orange.

Electoral.—Trickett has been appointed a polling place for the Murrumbidgee, and Yarrangerry has been abolished. Thirroul has been appointed, and Austinmer abolished, as a polling place for Woronora.

Sheep Inspectors.—Mr. R. T. M'Nevin, C.P.S., Dubbo, has been appointed acting inspector of sheep for issuing original permits for the district of Dubbo; and Sergeant S. J. Rootes, of Tumut, has been similarly appointed for Gundagai.

Post Office.—The telegraph office at Terara has been converted into a telephone office. Post-offices will be established on the 16th instant at Mount Rae, near Dalmorton, and at Boyd (in lieu of the receiving office), near Forbes.

Tenders.—Tenders are accepted as under:—Mr. John Doyle, Cessnock, erection of an additional copper wire along the telegraph line from Wagga Wagga to Deniliquin; Messrs. A. M. Fell and Sons, Darling Harbour, supply of 200 gallons of mineral cylinder oil; Mr. T. C. Coleman, Smithfield, erection of a telegraph line (wooden poles), from Coonamble to Quambone.

A SOUTHERLY "BUSTER."

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Similarly do we know when we look at their faces the symptoms of approaching serious illness in our fellows. The cheeks are drawn, the complexion sallow; there is a tightness around the mouth, and the eyes are dull and shrunken. If we want further proof we can see it in their dragging step; they feel done-up, and their legs in consequence are heavy.

Mr. Walter Cassin, of Hunter-street, Newcastle, may have looked thus when he came down for the last time to fulfil his duties as secretary of the local Tattersall's Club. For a long time he had felt out of sorts; for a long time he had shown one or more of the symptoms of debility, which are headaches, loss of appetite, drowsiness in the daytime, poor appetite, weak eyesight, uncertain temper, broken rest, failing memory, &c. And eventually he got to be so very ill he had to come down as stated, to resign his position. For a while he did not know what to do to get better, and so we may be sure he went on, with all the symptoms of a thorough breaking-down rapidly intensifying and making recovery more difficult. At last, ill and weak to a degree he chanced upon one of the many testimonials then appearing in the papers in behalf of Minerva Tonic, and impressed with its evident genuineness, went and procured a single bottle of it. This bottle he took according to the directions, and the result being satisfactory he got two others, the full effect of which was to restore him to all his old strength and vitality. It took, we may, but three bottles to do this; in just as many words, Minerva saved him. The story of his cure, which the "Herald" has much pleasure in printing, is emphasised in his letter of thanks to the Minerva Company by the following concluding passage:—

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Municipal Council Notices.

BOROUGH OF ASHFIELD.

ABSTRACT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 2nd AUGUST, 1897.

—	General Account.	Lighting Account.	Nuisances Prevention Account.	Parks Account.	—	Totals.
	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d
Dr.						
To Bank balance, City Bank ...	...		32 7 6	...	...	32 7 6
Cash in hand ...	...		...	1 13 0	...	1 13 0
Revenue: General rate—North Ward £812 18 9; South Ward £990 1 8; East Ward £1,342 12 6	3,145 12 11		...	...	3,145 12 11	
Lighting rate (3d in the £1) ...	...	814 0 0	...	...	814 0 0	
Nuisances prevention charges ...	...	...	968 12 0	...	968 12 0	
Government grants—Parks ...	...	...	...	50 0 0	50 0 0	
Private contributions to works—North Ward £5 10 6; South Ward £72 12 0; East Ward £60 4 0; Free Public Library £16 14 3	155 0 9	...	...	...	155 0 9	
Sales and letting of Municipal Property	0 18 6	...	...	8 17 0	9 15 6	
Other Sources—Building, water, and drain fees	16 5 0	...	...	...	16 5 0	
Costs and fines	4 6 0	...	...	...	4 6 0	
Rent of Council-chambers	6 2 6	...	...	...	6 2 6	5,160 14 8
Unsecured overdraft, Bank of New South Wales, at close of half-year ...	1,676 2 5	...	...	381 11 9	...	2,057 14 2
Totals per Cashbook	5,004 8 1	814 0 0	968 12 0	474 9 3	...	7,261 9 4
Amounts due to General Account, brought forward from last half-year	660 4 11	...	...	...	...	660 4 11
Amounts due by General Account, brought forward from last half-year	...	...	329 2 9	...	...	329 2 9
Amounts due by General Account, carried forward to next half-year	250 0 2	...	...	...	...	250 0 2
Amount due to General Account, carried forward to next half-year	...	315 5 1	...	...	...	315 5 1
Totals ...	5,914 13 2	1,129 5 1	1,297 14 9	474 9 3	...	8,816 2 3
Cr.						
By Unsecured overdraft—Bank of New South Wales ...	1,994 19 9	...	...	363 17 4	...	2,358 17 1
Expenditure—Salaries ...	397 5 0	...	71 4 4	65 0 0	463 9 4	
Office expenses ...	88 11 1		...	...	88 11 1	
Works, services, and improvements	...	469 0 2	976 10 3	4 6 6	1,449 16 11	
North Ward £521 11 9; South Ward £810 19 1; East Ward £760 2 11	2,092 13 9	...	...	...	2,092 13 9	
Free Public Library ...	21 12 6	...	...	...	21 12 6	
Fire Brigade Board ...	84 8 11	...	...	...	84 8 11	
Interest on mortgage loans ...	90 0 0	...	...	...	90 0 0	
Interest on debenture loans ...	259 2 2	...	...	...	259 2 2	
Interest on Bank overdraft ...	39 15 3	...	...	10 11 11	50 7 2	
Miscellaneous—Advertising ...	29 6 10	...	...	...	29 6 10	
Assessment ...	80 0 0	...	...	...	80 0 0	
Election Expenses ...	46 0 6	...	...	...	46 0 6	
Printing and stationery ...	45 18 10	...	...	...	45 18 10	
Sundries ...	70 10 9	...	...	...	70 10 9	4,871 18 9
Bank balance, City Bank ...	...	...	...	30 13 6	...	30 13 6
Totals per Cashbook	5,270 5 4	469 0 2	1,047 14 7	474 9 3	...	7,261 9 4
Amounts due to General Account, brought forward from last half-year	...	660 4 11	...	...	...	660 4 11
Amounts due by General Account, brought forward from last half-year	329 2 9	...	...	...	...	329 2 9
Amounts due by General Account, carried forward to next half-year ...	...	...	250 0 2	...	...	250 0 2
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I hereby certify the above account to be correct, and to correspond with the books of account and vouchers, or other documents in support thereof, in the possession or power of the Municipal Council of Ashfield.
JOHN UPWARD, Mayor.

We certify that all the books of account, vouchers, and other documents in support thereof, in the possession or power of the Municipal Council of Ashfield, have been examined by us; that the foregoing statement corresponds with such books of account, vouchers, and other documents; and that the above statement is correct.
27th August, 1897.
F. MOLESWORTH, ARTHUR A. BROWN, Auditors.

ASSESSMENT for Municipal Year ending MONDAY, 31st JANUARY, 1898, per Rate-book. Total amount on which rate levied, £116,346 10s; General rate at 12d, equal to £5,817 16s 6.

LIST OF ASSETS ON 2nd AUGUST, 1897.

Sewerage (underground), 1 mile 16 chains ...		£6,094 0 0
Town Hall ...		6,000 0 0
Library (including books and furniture) ...		400 0 0
Working Plant ...		500 0 0
Materials and Stores ...		190 0 0
Office Furniture ...		350 0 0
Houses and Lands (freehold) ...		1,700 0 0
Credit Bank Balances, Park Account ...		30 13 6
Outstanding Rates—General Account ...	£4,434 5 3	
Lighting Account ...	1,186 6 5	5,620 11 8
Amount due for nuisances prevention charges ...		878 0 0
Amounts due to General Account by Special Accounts ...		660 4 11
Other Accounts due to Council ...		10 0 0
Total Assets ...		£22,253 10 1

LIST OF LIABILITIES on 2nd AUGUST, 1897.

—	Mortgage, Debentures, or Bond.	Rate of Interest.	Date of Issue.	Years Currency.	Due date.	Loans. Amounts Borrowed.	Amounts Owing.
						£ s d	£ s d
Loan secured on general rate ...	Debentures	4½ per cent.	1888. 1 October	15	1903. 1 October	15,000 0 0	11,300 0 0
Loan secured on Town Hall ...	Mortgage	4½ per cent.	1895. 1 October	5	1900. 1 October	4,000 0 0	4,000 0 0
Totals ...						19,000 0 0	15,300 0 0

Unsecured Bank overdraft, all accounts, 2nd August, 1897 ...	2,094 6 7
Unpresented cheques on Bank of New South Wales, 2nd August, 1897 ...	53 7 7
Amounts due by General Account to Special Accounts ...	250 0 2
Other outstanding accounts ...	500 0 0
Total Liabilities ...	18,107 14 4

JOHN UPWARD, Mayor.
THOS. GLASSOP, Council Clerk.

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OVERLOOKING Centennial Park.—Choice Building SITES, TO-DAY. Hardie and Gorman.

THE WOOL TRADE.

Friday Evening.

At the local sales this week 22,170 bales were brought forward to an attendance of buyers that showed no diminution in numbers, and their competition up to the extent of their limits has been very strong. For certain classes of wools, however, including medium greasies, inferior sorts, and crossbreds, there has been a weakening, which commenced a fortnight ago with irregularity, never a good sign for the maintenance in values, and this tendency has developed as sales progressed till there is now a distinct drop of from ¼d to ½d for such descriptions. All wools above medium quality, large pieces, broken, bellies, and locks, have on the whole held their own, the skirtings mentioned specially so, and for good lambswool the market has kept fairly strong also. Unfortunately, the preponderance of inferior and wasty wools has been very large, as must be expected from the droughty season experienced, and their realisation is causing considerable disappointment to growers, who do not make sufficient allowance for the very faulty condition of their produce. Another feature has been the large extent to which withdrawals have been made, and this is brought about largely by the prevalence of the custom of asking for valuations, and making brokers wait till their replies and instructions are received. In a falling market the effect of this is self-evident. Valuations made before the drop takes place, and on the basis of values previously current, cannot be realised, and even when owners are reasonable enough to say, "Sell at your valuations," and do not, as they so often do, put an extra halfpenny on the top of their broker's estimate, the result is the same, and no sale can be effected. In a steady or rising market valuations sent, if even approximate, should always be capable of realisation, and when such satisfactory conditions rule, good clearances can generally be effected. There is a strong tendency with the woolgrowers of this colony, much more so than with those of Victoria, to tie selling brokers down hard and fast to their estimates, which, being based as a rule on small samples drawn from the bales, do not represent the true value of the wool when properly opened out for the inspection of buyers, and it should also be borne in mind by growers that no valuer can value to ¼d per lb.; that is to say, supposing a valuation of 7d is sent, if that wool brings 6¾d or 7¼d, the estimate must be considered as close as can reasonably be expected.

For greasy merino the record price of the season was obtained this week, 13 bales A hoggets of the celebrated WWW over Belltrees mark from Scone topping the market at 11d. This wool, though not deficient in yolk, presented a very attractive appearance, being of well-bred quality, and was excellently prepared for market. Another line of the same clip, 39 bales, brought 9¾d, the following bringing 9½d, viz.:—Three B combing hoggets, Weebolabola, from Moree; 13 first hoggets, wethers, ewes, TK over Loloma, from Coolah; 58 second wethers, ewes, and clothing, FRW over Harben Vale, from Blandford; 12 first clothing wethers and ewes, of LFI over Goolhi, from Gunnedah.

For scoured the market has not been so noticeably depressed, the lowering tendency having affected this description earlier than it did greasy, and there has been no further relapse this week. The highest price at auction was 14½d, paid for 13 bales AAA lambs, marked JRL over Wirrah, from Mungindi, a very superior lot carefully and well scoured, leaving the wool in a light, bright, and showy condition. The sale is also reported of a good line of Messrs. Wright and Abbott's turn out at the excellent price of 16d per lb.

Quotations in the Sydney market are as under:—

Description.	Superior.	Good.	Medium.	Inferior.
	d. d.	d. d.	d. d.	d. d.
Greasy fleece	9½ to 11	7½ to 9	6 to 7½	4½ to 5½
Greasy lambs	8 to 10	6½ to 7½	5½ to 6½	3½ to 5
Greasy pieces	7½ to 8½	6 to 7	4½ to 5½	3 to 4½
Greasy bellies	5½ to 6½	4 to 5½	3½ to 3½	2½ to 3
Greasy crossb.	8 to 9	6½ to 7½	5½ to 6	4½ to 5½
Scoured fleece	15½ to 16½	13 to 15	11½ to 12½	10 to 11
Scoured pieces	11½ to 14	10½ to 11½	9 to 10½	7½ to 8½
Scoured bellies	11½ to 13½	9½ to 10½	8½ to 9½	7 to 8
Scoured locks	8½ to 10	7½ to 8½	6 to 6½	4½ to 5½

Offerings and sales by the various brokers who sold are as follow:—

Selling Brokers.	Catalogued.	Sold. At auction and privately ex previous catalogues.	Sold. Privately, without having been catalogued for auction sale.	Total Sales.
	Bales.	Bales.	Bales.	Bales.
Hill, Clark, and Co. ...	...	...	...	...
New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Co., Limited ...	3,455	2,372	..	2,372
J. C. Young and Co. ...	773	784	..	784
Pastoral Finance Association, Limited ...	3,208	2,066	150	2,216
Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited ...	2,649	1,757	435	2,192
Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Limited ...	5,742	4,490	..	4,490
Dalgety and Co., Ltd. ...	1,114	1,118	70	1,188
Winchcombe, Carson, and Co. ...	2,103	1,880	328	2,208
John Bridge and Co. Limited ...	a	a	a	a
Campbell, Nimmo, and Wyly ...	a	a	a	a
Australasian Mortgage and Agency Co., Ltd. ...	1,082	1,373	...	1,373
Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Ltd. ...	1,354	727	1,513	2,240
Total for the week ...	22,170	16,576	2,496	19,072
Brought forward ...	66,164	58,618	24,751	83,369
Total since July 1, 1897 ...	88,334	75,194	27,247	102,441
Corr'ponding period of previous season ...	112,345	90,148	11,516	101,664
Increase (a), decrease (b) ...	b24,011	b14,954	a15,731	(a)777

a Sale day, Monday next, November 8.

The arrivals into Sydney for the week are as under:—

	Bales.
By rail ...	36,503
By sea ...	7,521
Total ...	44,024

The arrivals since the beginning of the statistical year are:—

At Darling Harbour Railway Station:	
From July 1 to November 3, 1897 ...	215,411
Corresponding period last year ...	276,866
Decrease ...	61,455
By sea:	
From July 1 to November 3, 1897 ...	41,982
Corresponding period last year ...	69,800
Decrease ...	27,818

The following shipments have taken place:—

From Sydney:	
Aberdeen, s., to London, October 29 ...	443
Langton Grange, s., to London, October 30 ...	3,818
Langton Grange, s., to New York, October 30 ...	216
Tokio Maru, s., to Japan, October 30 ...	290
Oruba, s., to London, October 30 ...	1,206
Glenturret, s., to Dunkirk, November 2 ...	9,116
Glenturret, s., to Antwerp, November 2 ...	1,183
Australien, s., to Dunkirk, November 3 ...	1,209
Australien, s., to Marseille, November 3 ...	911
Australien, s., to Marseilles or Dunkirk, November 3 ...	414
Prinz-Regent Luitpold, s., to Genoa, November 3 ...	428
Prinz-Regent Luitpold, s., to Philadelphia, November 3 ...	116
Prinz-Regent Luitpold, s., to Bremen, November 3 ...	1,217
Prinz-Regent Luitpold, s., to Antwerp, November 3 ...	1,393
Prinz-Regent Luitpold, s., to Hamburg, November 3 ...	1,907
Prinz-Regent Luitpold, s., to Genoa or Bremen, November 3 ...	5
Port Elliott, s., to London, November 4 ...	4,376
Port Elliott, s., to Dunkirk, November 4 ...	1,693
Port Elliott, s., to Antwerp, November 4 ...	5
Port Elliott, s., to Dunkirk or London, November 4 ...	64
Total for week ...	30,010
Brought forward since July 1 ...	114,298
Total from Sydney ...	144,308
From Newcastle:	
Port Elliott, s., to London, October 30 ...	3,432
Brought forward since July 1 ...	10,237
Total from Sydney and Newcastle ...	157,977
Corresponding period last year ...	203,625
Decrease ...	45,648

Arrivals by sea and rail now show a shortage of 89,273 bales, as against 85,449 bales last week and 85,227 bales the week before. Oversea shipments this week show a decrease of 45,648 bales as compared with the corresponding period last year, the shortage last week standing at 44,252 bales, and 41,249 bales the week before.

Of completed clips from a wide range of country, viz., Bourke, Brewarrina, Coonamble, Dubbo, Forbes, Moree, Narrabri, Riverina, Tamworth, Temora, and Queensland, 47 clips in all, the decrease as compared with last year amounts to 10 per cent., but this is only the finding of one firm of sellers, and though it may be considered likely that their experience should be the same as their confreres it does not necessarily follow that it is so. A fortnight ago information from the same source on a smaller number of clips gave a falling-off of 15 per cent., and it seems likely that this will prove to be the average by the time the end of the season is reached.

Messrs. Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Limited, held their first wool sale this week, offering 1354 bales, of which 727 bales were sold at auction, and these, with 1513 disposed of privately, bring up their total sales to 2240 bales. A full report of the sale appeared in our yesterday's issue.

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NEW SOUTH WALES PARLIAMENT.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

CLOSING THE FINANCIAL DEBATE EARLY ON FRIDAY MORNING.

BILL TO INCREASE THE STAMP DUTIES AND DEATH DUES.

It was briefly announced in a second edition of the "Herald" yesterday that in the small hours of the morning the financial debate initiated by the motion of the Premier in the previous week, that a sum of £1347 be granted for the establishment of his Excellency the Governor, was carried at 3.30 a.m. without a division. The debate was carried on after midnight in a listless manner by a small band of Oppositionists, who spoke to a beggarly array of empty benches. Half a dozen times the bells were rung with the twofold purpose of keeping a quorum and compelling the Ministerialist brigade that was held in reserve by the Government Whip, and was comfortably sleeping on the sofas, chairs, and lounges in the different committee rooms, to rush hurriedly into the chamber to prevent a count-out.

Mr. MILLER, from the Opposition benches, declaimed in stentorian tones against the shortcomings of Ministers individually and the Government collectively, ranging from one end to the other of the political gamut. Meanwhile Ministers slept on the Treasury benches, startled now and again, however, by an unusually heavy burst of Mr. Miller's thundering tones, supplemented by the encouraging cheers of Mr. Travers Jones, the only other member of the Opposition who was awake. After some menacing remarks by Mr. Miller about bringing up the relief brigade of the Opposition and continuing the debate until breakfast time, he was disarmed by a conciliatory interjection from the watchful Premier, and sat down without delivering his peroration. The Chairman seized on the sudden silence that had fallen on the Chamber, broken only by the snoring of some members on the back benches, to put the motion, and it was carried with appreciative "Ayes" from the Premier and the Government Whip. The resolution was then reported to the House and adopted. The few Opposition members who had hurriedly entered the chamber to see the end of the protracted debate, and expected to hear the Premier move the adjournment of the House, were astonished instead to see the Speaker leave the chamber and the Chairman of Committees take up his former position. They were not kept long in suspense as to the meaning of this.

The PREMIER then submitted for approval a resolution that the schedule of stamp duties fixed by the Stamp Duties Act be increased in accordance with the terms of a schedule attached to the resolution.

There was a mild protest from Mr. Perry, upon whose shoulders the mantle of the leader of the Opposition had temporarily fallen; but matters were smoothed over by the Premier explaining that earlier in the sitting he had told Mr. Lyne what he (Mr. Reid) intended doing, and that gentleman raised no objection. The resolution was therefore carried.

The Premier submitted another resolution, this time to increase the amount of probate duty payable on the estates of deceased persons. He complained that the increased scale which he would later on ask the House to adopt was exactly on all fours with that in operation in Victoria and Queensland, and practically the same as that in force in South Australia.

Mr. PERRY became indignant at the proposed increase, and stigmatised the action of the Government as disgraceful in seeking to rob a widow and her family of money left by their breadwinner if the money happened to amount to £1000 or more. "The exemption from probate duty should be fully £1000," said the hon. member, and he accordingly moved to provide for such an exemption.

The Opposition was not a particularly happy family over this proposal, for Mr. Miller at once rose and denounced his temporary leader for his desire to protect moneybags. The resolution having been carried, it was reported to the House. The Opposition, however, was not convinced, and tested the feeling of members on the motion that the resolution be read a second time. The result was a crushing defeat, the Government scoring 30 to 8 votes.

No further opposition was made to the Premier, hence he succeeded in introducing his Stamp Duties and Probate Duties Act Amendment Bill, and getting them read a first time, the second reading being made an order of the day for Wednesday next. The House then rose at 12 minutes past 4 a.m.

DRUMMOYNE NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL.

OFFICIAL OPENING BY THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION.

Yesterday afternoon the picturesque borough of Drummoyne was en fete on the occasion of the visit of the Minister for Public Instruction (Hon. Jacob Garrard), at the invitation of the school board of Drummoyne, to officially open the handsome new structure that has just been completed. The Minister, who was accompanied by Mr. F. Bridges (Chief Inspector Public Schools) and Mr. Frank Farnell, M.L.A. for the district, was met at the Thompson-street wharf by Mr. Mark Williamson (chairman of the school board), the Mayor of Drummoyne (Alderman G. A. Richards, J.P.), and the aldermen, and escorted to the school, which is pleasantly situated at the top of the hill overlooking Iron Cove Bay. Here a large concourse of visitors and parents assembled, including many prominent residents. The pupils, under the guidance of the principal (Mr. William Gray), warmly welcomed the visitors. The new building was gaily bedecked with bunting, and nicely displayed inside were specimens of the work of the school, and the insignia on the main wall, "The children of to-day are the men and women of to-morrow."

The chairman of the school board (Mr. Williamson) said he felt great pleasure in being present at this pleasing function, as being the oldest representative of the school board in the district, and one who had taken an active interest in having had erected 13 years ago the old building that had been doing good service. It was also most gratifying to see the high position in which the Public school system was held. This district had shown exceedingly rapid progress, as only a few years ago the average attendance was from 150 to 170 scholars; while to-day it was from 340 to 350, and the enrolment numbered 422 pupils. He had much pleasure in calling upon Mr. Garrard to officially open the building. (Applause.)

Mr. J. Garrard, who was received with much applause, said it was with a considerable degree of pleasure that he responded to the invitation of the local school board to officially open the structure he had just inspected. He had some intimate knowledge of the progress of the district owing to his association with the school board in the adjoining borough of Balmain, and also as having represented that district for many years in Parliament. He had often looked upon this addition as being a necessary adjunct to their growing requirements, and it was gratifying for him to be able to state that it had fallen to his lot as presiding over the Public school system of this colony to sanction the expenditure of this structure and to officially open the building. (Applause.) It might, he thought, be a bit egotistical and sound like a piece of spread-eaglism, but they had other countries inquiring into and emulating their example; and were they not sending over experts to study their system from New Zealand, also South Australia, and from Victoria? and reports were being furnished which showed that their system was far in advance of those of the other colonies. And here he would like it to be remembered that there were many prominent names which stood out in connection with the inauguration of it, notably that of the late James Squire Farnell, the father of the present representative of the district; but there was one name which stood out with more significance than any other—he referred to that of the late Sir Henry Parkes. (Cheers.) The value of the services of that great man would long be remembered by the generations that were to follow and the freeborn citizens of this country for the grand system of public education that we have to-day. (Cheers.) A few figures would suffice to indicate its proportions. To-day they had a quarter of a million of children attending their Public schools throughout the colony; and to those who did not believe that the schools embodied in them scholars whom it was desirous of reaching he might mention that 80 per cent. of this number comprised children from the age of 6 years up to 14, leaving 20 per cent. attending private schools. There were 2500 schools, conducted by a body of men and women—ladies and gentlemen in the highest sense of the term—numbering about 4500, scattered throughout the length and breadth of this land. These figures conveyed some idea of the enormous proportions of their system.

Mr. Frank Farnell, M.L.A., also spoke at some length on the phenomenal success that had been achieved by the system, and as one who had been educated in the Ryde Public school he could endorse all that the Minister had said as to the facilities the system afforded.

The Mayor of Drummoyne (Alderman G. A. Richards, J.P.) and Mr. F. Bridges (Chief Inspector of Public Schools) also spoke.

The chairman moved a vote of thanks to the Minister. The vote of thanks was carried by acclamation, the scholars giving three hearty cheers for Mr. Garrard, who, in responding, intimated that in honour of the event a half-holiday would be granted the following Friday.

Subsequently the visitors were entertained at afternoon tea, and inspected the bazaar and exhibition. These were presided over as follows:—

Fancy stall: Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Earl, assisted by girls.

Refreshment stall: Miss Stewart, Miss Nobbs, and Miss Yeend.

Flower stall: Miss Pickering, Edie Harris, and Nellie Wood.

Snowball: Miss Turner.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

"Journal of a Tour in the United States, Canada, and Mexico," by Lady Howard of Glossop (Sampson Low, Marston, and Co.); "Miss Bobbie," by Ethel S. Turner; "Australian Fairy Tales," by Atha Westbury; "Beacon Fires," by Headon Hill; "Pharisees," by A. Kevill Davies (Ward, Lock, and Co.); "A Drawing-room Cynic," by Lorin Kaye (John Macqueen; Sydney, Angus and Robertson); "A Deserter from Philistia," by E. Phipps Train; "The Charmer," by Shan F. Bullock (James Bowden); "The Church of England before the Reformation," by the Rev. Dyson Hague, M.A. (Hodder and Stoughton; Sydney, Angus and Robertson); "Christ and His Friends," by the Rev. A. F. Winnington Ingram (Gardner, Darton, and Co.); "Simple Tests for Minerals," fourth edition, by Joseph Campbell (Angus and Robertson); "The Battle Fields of Thessaly," by Sir Ellis Ashmead-Bartlett (John Murray).

RELIGIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Church of England.

ST. ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL.—Holy Communion, 8 and 11. Preachers:—
11, The Precentor; 3.15, Rev R. J. Read; 7, Canon Pain.

CHURCH OF S. AUGUSTINE, NEUTRAL BAY. 21st Sunday after Trinity.
8 a.m., Holy Communion
11 a.m., Matins
11.30 a.m., Choral Eucharist
7.30 p.m., Evensong.

CHRIST CHURCH, ST LAURENCE. XXI. Sunday After Trinity
Holy Communion, 7.30 a.m.; Matins, 10.30 a.m.; Choral Eucharist and Sermon, 11 a.m.; Children's Service, 3.45 p.m.; Litany, 6.45 p.m.; Evensong and sermon, 7 p.m.

GENERAL Gordon L.O.L., 204.—Officers and Members first, all Orangemen to attend Service, Prot. Hall, 3 p.m.

MOUTRAY R.B.P., 340, are invited to attend religious service, 3 o'clock, Grand Chapter, Protestant Hall.

ST. THOMAS', Balmain.—11 a.m. and 7 p.m., Rev JOHN DIXON.

ST. PHILIP'S, Sydney.—Morning at 11, Archdeacon Langley; Evening, at 7, Rev. J. O. Fenton.

ST. JOHN'S, Darlinghurst.—The Right Rev. Bishop COOPER will preach at the morning service.

ST. SIMON and St. Jude's, S. H.—11, 3, and 7.15 p.m.; Welcome all. Revs. J. Dwyane, J. O. Southby.

ST. MICHAEL'S, Moore Park.—Rev. Dr. Manning, at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

ST. MATTHEW'S, BONDI.—8th Anniversary. Rev J. BEST'S Appt.
11 a.m., Rev. R. N. Howard; 3 p.m., Flower Service, address; 7.30 p.m., Rev. J. Best.

ST. MARK'S, Darling Point.—Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins, 10.30 a.m.; Choral Eucharist and Sermon, 11 a.m.; Even Song and Sermon, 7.30 p.m.
Preacher—Rev. WILLOUGHBY FLOWER, M.A.

ST. GEORGE'S, GLENMORE-ROAD, GLENMORE-ROAD. MEMORIAL SERVICES at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. on SUNDAY NEXT, the 7th instant.
Preacher, Rev. H. M. THACKERAY.

ST. MARY'S, East Balmain.—Morning 11, Evening 7, Rev. C. H. N. H. B.A., Sunday School Anniversary. Fruit and Flower Service will be held in Church at 3 p.m.

ST. JAMES', KING-STREET.—SUNDAY, November 7, 8 a.m., Holy Communion; 11, Matins, Litany, and sermon; 3 p.m., Children's Catechism; 7.15, Evensong and Sermon.
TO-NIGHT, 7.30, Choral Evensong by Gregorian Choir.

CHURCHMAN'S INSTITUTE.—Open MEETING, to which all Church people are invited MONDAY, November 8, at 8 p.m., in St. James' Parish Hall, Phillip-street. Address by Rev. W. BURT MOUNSEY, on "The Christian Social Union."

THE Secretaries of the CHURCH SOCIETY beg to acknowledge with THANKS the receipt of £37 1s 7d from the Executors of the late Miss E. ROGERS, Camden.
J. D. LANGLEY, W. L. DOCKER.

Presbyterian.

ASHFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
GRAND SALE OF WORK, in ASHFIELD HALL.
Continued This SATURDAY EVENING. Gymnastic Display by Mr. BENSTAD'S PUPILS, and other attractions. Great clearance of Useful and Fancy Articles.

CHALMERS CHURCH (opposite Exhibition Building.
Rev. G. D. RICHANAN.
11 a.m.—A Text in Dispute—Matt., 16, 18.
7.15 p.m.—Masonic Service. Decorative Art in King Solomon's Temple. All invited.

ANNANDALE Hunter-Baillie Memorial Church.—11, Rev. Robert Inglis; 7, Rev. Roger M'Kinnon.

BURWOOD.—St. James' Presbyterian Church.—Rev. J. Alwen Ewen, morning and evening.

GLEBE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. T. E. Clouston, B.A., morning and evening.

MANLY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. J. Anderson Gardiner, B.A., at 11 and 7.30.

MASONIC SERVICE, under the auspices of Lodge Sydney Turbellum, No. 71, will be held in Chalmers Church, Castlereagh-st., on Sunday Evening, November 7. Subject:—"The Decorative Art of King Solomon's Temple." In the Rev. Rev. G. D. Buchanan in the room of the craft appointed to meet at the Redfern Town Hall at 6.30 p.m.

NEWTOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. T. W. HUNN, Morning, 11; Evening, 7.

PYRMONT and Ultimo Presbyterian Church.—Rev R. S. Paterson, 11; Children's Flower Service; 7.

PITT and HAY STS. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Preacher, Rev. JOHN CHRISTIE.
11 a.m.—"Christ Crowned—Honest Drudgery."
7 p.m.—"The Bow in the Cloud."

RANDWICK Presbyterian Church.—Rev. W. G. MACONOCHIE, M.A., 11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m.

ST. GEORGE'S FREE CHURCH, Castlereagh-st.—Rev. T. S. Fenwith, 11 and 7.

ST. LUKE'S Presbyterian Church, Redfern.—Rev. J. M'Naughtan, M.A., 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Rev. J. Gow, M.A. St. Luke's Par., Cobden, Bathurst, Guildford, P. A. Park, Tooker, 2 to 5.30, 7 to 10.30 p.m. See Announcements Column.

ST. STEPHEN'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Phillip-street.—Rev. John Ferguson, "Bible and Fellowship, or, Christianity without." 11, evensong. 7, sermon. Evening subject, "Henry George: Worker, Dreamer, and Prophet."

SCOTS CHURCH.—Rev. W. M. DILL MACKY. 11 a.m., and 7 p.m., Lecture 11. "The Coming of our Lord." On TUESDAY EVENING, 9th inst., in connection with the Church, an all-day Conference will be held in the church. Subject:—"The Holy Spirit." Promise Advent, Need Work. Hours: 11 a.m., 2.30 and 7 p.m. Speakers: Messrs. Reynolds, Dr. Stephen, Rev. Dr. Steel, J. L. Close, B.A., F. E. Harry, Messrs. T. Dibley, Howat, and others.
Chairman, Rev. W. M. DILL MACKY, President N.S.W.C.E. Union.
Please bring Hymn Book—Sankey. Tea provided.

WAVERLEY Presbyterian Ch., Charing Cross.—11, Rev. T. J. Curtis; 7, Rev. J. Macmillan, M.A.

WAHROONGA Presbyterian Ch.—Rev. W. Grounsell-water Street. Morn., 11; Even., 7½; Sun. school, 3.

WOOLLOOMOOLOO Presbyterian Church, Palmer-st., Rev. J. Fulton, 11 and 7. "Visit to Jerusalem."

WOOLLAHRA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, corner of Oxford and Forth streets.
Rev JOHN WALKER, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

Congregational.

PITT-STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rev. F. TREMAYNE DUNSTAN.
Morning, at 11—Subject, "Christ the Advocate" Communion Service.
Evening, at 7—Subject, "A Manly Man."

BURWOOD CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. W. G. Campbell at 11 and 7.15.

BOURKE-STREET Congregational Church.—Annual Missionary Service.—James Hill, M.A., will Preach To-morrow morning and evening, the 14th Anniversary of his settlement as Pastor of this Church.

CROYDON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.
Morning at 11. Evening at 7.15.
Subject: "False Swearing."
Rev. W. MATHISON, B.A.

GLEBE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. F. ADAMS, 11, "Communion of Saints." "Nonsurrender." Sunday School Picnic Monday, Pearl Bay. Steamer Central leaves Floating Jetty, 11 a.m. and 2 p.m.

MANLY CONGREGATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY.—FLOWER SERVICE, TO-MORROW, 3 p.m., Rev. H. Gainford; afternoon, 5, Rev. E. Tremayne Dunstan; evening, 7.30, Rev. W. Currie.

NORTH SYDNEY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.
11 and 7, Rev. I. PARKER.
Evening subject: "The Magnificent Offer."
Communion.

NEWTOWN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.
Continuation of Anniversary Services
(41st of the Church and 20th of the Pastor, the Rev. WARLOW DAVIES, M.A.).
MORNING, at 11, Rev. C. F. JAMES. AFTERNOON, at 3, Cantata, "Through Cloud and Sunshine," by Teachers and Scholars of the School, assisted by the Newtown Oratorial Society. EVENING, at 7, Rev. Dr. ROSERY.

OCEAN-ST. CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. G. Savage. Evening, "Christ Coming in the Clouds."

PETERSHAM Congregational Church.—Professor Gosman (D. and ev.) "Patriotism and Philanthropy."

POINT PIPER-ROAD CHURCH.—Rev. J. Fordyce, M.A. Morning at 11, evening at 7.30.
Sermon by Young Men: "TRUE DISCIPLESHIP."

REDFERN Cong'l Ch.—Rev. F. Binns will preach To-morrow at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Visitors invited.

SUMMER HILL Congregational Church.—To-morrow, at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., Rev. W. J. L. Close, B.A.

TRINITY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Stanley-field.—11 a.m., 7.15 p.m., Rev. Geo. Littlemore.

Wesleyan.

CENTENARY HALL.—11, Rev. J. A. WADDELL, "A Model Carpenter." 3, PUBLIC MEETING, ABORIGINES' MISSION. Speakers, Rev. Dill Macky, A. J. Griffith, M.A., Miss Dixon Missionary. Converted Aborigines will speak and sing. 7, People's Service, Rev. Dr. PORTER, "Heart Disease and its Cure." Full Choir. Orchestral Band. All seats free. CONSECRATION Meeting, TO-NIGHT, Centenary Hall. Full attendance requested.

BOURKE-ST. WESLEYAN CHURCH, S. Hills.—Rev. J. B. Lewin, of Manly, morning and evening.

PADDINGTON Wesleyan Sunday School Anniversary Services will be held To-morrow (Sunday).
Morning, 11, Rev. G. T. Baker; afternoon, 3, Rev. G. T. Baker; evening, 7, Hon. J. S. Larke. Picnic, 30th, in 9d.

WESLEY CHURCH, Regent-st.—Rev. P. J. Stephen in morning and evening. "Popery and Patriotism."

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BAPTIST CHURCH, Boulevard, Petersham.—Dr. Thos. Porter, morning, evening. Seats free. All welc.

BAPTIST CHURCH, Harris-st., Ultimo.—Pastor Henry Clark, morning at 11 evening at 7.

BAPTIST CHURCH, Burton-st., city.—Rev. A. J. Wilson, of Perth, W.A., 11 a.m., 7 p.m. All welc.

BATHURST-ST. BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. F. E. Harry, morning at 11; communion, 7; urgent bus.

CHRISTADELPHIAN HALL, 413 Elizabeth-st.—LECTURE SUNDAY, 7 p.m.: "The New Creation."

NEWTOWN BAPTIST CHURCH.—11 a.m., Mr. Rowmaker; 7 p.m., Evangelistic Service, Mr. Groves.

NORTH SYDNEY BAPTIST CHURCH (School of Arts, Mount-st.).—Morning, evening, Mr. J. J. Stone.

NO. 117, Stephen, L.O.L., Marrickville.—Religious Service, Baptist Church, Silver-st., Marrickville, Sunday Night, the 7th inst., at 7. Brethren and Sisters please meet P.O., 6.30 p.m., from farm, Bogalla, T. Brent.

STRICT Baptist Church.—O.F. Temple, Eliz.-st., every Lord's Day, at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Mr. Fremlin.

THE Tabernacle, Metropolitan-road, Enmore.—7, Geo. J. Waldon, Subject, "Why We Observe Sunday."

Other Services.

UNITARIAN CHURCH, HYDE PARK. Rev. GEORGE WALTERS.
11 a.m.: "Mutual Help in Life's Battle."
7 p.m.: "If a Man Die, Shall He Live Again?"

ANNANDALE P.M. CHURCH.—M. Reavley, minister, 11, "Prayer;" 7, "A Call and Promise."

AT THE PEOPLE'S HALL, 468 Sussex-street, on SUNDAY, at 7.30. Address by Mr. G. F. ARDILL: Subject: "NEBUCHADNEZZAR'S DREAM—as it relates to our times." All invited.

CHRISTADELPHIAN LECTURE, "New Heavens and New Earth," Temp. Hall, No. 2 room, 7 p.m. No col.

COOGEE Open-air Mission.—Gospel Services, Sundays, Holidays, 3.30 to 5 p.m. All heartily invited.

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GOOD TEMPLAR MISSION.—Protestant Hall, Castlereagh-street, SUNDAY EVENING, 7.30. Mr. FRED. FLOWERS on "Nationalisation of the Liquor Traffic." Musical Programme.

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Speakers: Revs. W. M. DILL MACKY, A. J. GRIFFITH, M.A., and Miss DIXON (Missionary).
Aborigines from the Mission will also speak and sing.
On TUESDAY, 9th November, the MISSIONARY will be installed at La Perouse. 10.30 a.m., Aborigines Sports; 3 p.m., Installation Service. Speakers: Rev. Dr. PORTER and Mr. A. S. ARNOTT. A cordial welcome to all. Bring Sankey's Hymns.

NEW CHURCH (Redney Society).—Temperance Hall, Pitt-st., To-mor., 11. Mr. Spencer, "Spir. Enemies."

NO. 76 R.B.P.—Members invited to attend Service, Protestant Hall, To-morrow, 3 p.m.

O.L., 54.—Members attend Black Ser., Prot. Hall, 3 p.m.; also Wesleyan Church, Regent-st., 7 p.m.

PRAYER UNION for ISRAEL.—Will all interested please meet Y.M.C.A., Wednesday, 7.30.

PIONEER L.O.L., No. 30.
MEMBERS requested to attend Service of Black Association, Protestant Hall, TO-MORROW 3 p.m.

ROYAL BLACK ASSOCIATION OF N.S.W. The Annual RELIGIOUS SERVICE will take place TO-MORROW, at the Protestant Hall, at 3 p.m. Addresses by the Revs. P. J. Stephen, T. J. Curtis, and C. T. Wood.
Orangemen cordially invited.

SOCIALIST LEAGUE, Leigh House, Sunday, 8 p.m. Lecture by G. Black, M.P., "Topics of the Time."

SPIRITUALISM.—Seance, Sunday, 7.30. Clairvoyance by Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan. Coll. 27T Pitt-st., upstairs.

SPIRITUALISM, 10 Parker-st.—Seance Sunday night. Trance Lecture by Gentleman. 3 Mediums.

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SPIRITUALIST HALL.—Zethyne Voelker, test and descriptive Seance, Sunday, 7.30. Coll. 76 Glebe-rd.

SPIRITUALISM.—Trance Address, The Other World. Test Seance, 7.30. Mr. Greentree, 326 Cleveland-st.

STEWARD'S Truth.—Usual Spiritualistic Service, Sunday eve., 7.30. Tattersall's Hall, Crib. Hunter-st.

SEANCE will be held Sydney-chambers, Pitt-street, near King-street, SUNDAY EVENING Next, 7.30. Madame LACETA, Med. and Business Clairvoyante, late of Miss Brown's Collection.

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YOUNG Men's Christian Assn.—TO-NIGHT, Young Men's Meeting, at 7.45. To-morr. All; Bible Class at 3. "Prayer." To-morrow, Prayer and Gospel Service, at 7.30. Speaker, Mr. Alan Colvin. D. WALKER, Gen. Sec.

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LONDON, Nov. 2.

The "Times" says that the heroism of the Australian umpire in declaring that the third ball of Trott's sixth over was a wide entitles him easily to a statue in Westminster Abbey and a national subscription. Moreover, his action has had the effect of solidifying the bases of the Empire and drawing together with almost uncomfortable tightness the social bonds of love and affection.

The "St. James's Gazette," which makes a study of Australian affairs (the editor lives entirely on Australian meat), says that never since the charge of Balaclava has the heart of the nation been so stirred.

LONDON, Nov. 3.

The "Daily News" says that the idea of an Imperial zollverein, which it has consistently advocated, has been brought forward a century by the action of the umpire in declaring Trott's ball to be a wide. It deprecates the action of the miscreants who broke into Richardson's house, and asks the English people to remain calm till a clue is obtained. It is, it expresses the firm belief, a cowardly political subterfuge to belittle the Imperial federation idea.

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How should a member of Parliament stand when he addresses the House? This is becoming a very nice matter. Members have been called to order for turning their backs on the Speaker; they have been objurgated by the Opposition for the same course; and, indeed, there is often as much anxiety to see a member's face as his drift. And of course it is very often impossible to get at this last. There is no rule as far as we can gather in the House of Commons; but in the Chamber of Deputies the orator is compelled to mount the tribune, and in this elevated position the orator can be seen by all. It has its advantages, too, in another way—admiring friends can hurl interjections and other things at the speaker with smaller chance of hitting him. In some of the Fiji Islands, I believe, the House sits in solid row before the orator, who takes care never to turn his back. If he do, there is an immediate vacancy for another speaker, and the gentleman who has thrown the tomahawk takes the floor. But in our case it is hard to see what can be done unless the fervid member addressing the Chamber is placed in a sort of huge roasting jack, suspended from the ceiling, which could be revolved slowly, so that the magnetism of the orator's eye might fall on the just and the unjust alike. And if you come to think of it, this would be rather an appropriate position for the average politician to adopt. At any rate, a great many of them spin round like teetotums every 24 hours.

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The result of the municipal elections in New York is a very great triumph for the democratic spirit; that is, if you choose to make hoodlumism and "toughdom" the synonym of democracy. And most sensible people do not. Tammany Hall represents these forces, though. It is a curious state of affairs. The "plug uglies," the "toughs," the "hard hitters," the "down owners," in short the influential sections that we, in these slow-going countries, are accustomed to meet chiefly in the police court reports are now at top, and will help to rule the destinies, not only of New York city, but the greater State in which it is situate. Of course, in the majority there must be a sprinkling of respectable Irish publicans, grocers, &c., and a number of dull people who vote they know not why; but the fact remains ruffianism survives triumphant. And all this under the miraculous American Constitution, which was flaunted in our faces at every conceivable occasion during the recent Federal Convention.

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However much one may revere Mr. Gladstone—and lives there a slave so base as not to revere the Grand Old Man—one could often wish that his friends would see that he was not bored by every globe-trotter who is passing in the neighbourhood of Hawarden. Or, at least, that he was not forced to deliver an opinion that will be published to the world next day. For even at the age of 87 a man occasionally speaks without thinking. Indeed, if the majority of us could perform either at that age, we should be lucky. Still, Mr. Gladstone is not as other men. He defies Time, he has often confounded his enemies, and he rides a bicycle; he opens a mechanics' institute every other day or so, and he dashes off a theological work when he has an odd hour to spare. So that when some enthusiastic tourist bursts in upon and asks him what he thinks of the progress of American Democracy or the rise of Australia, it may be that he answers a little wildly. As in the case of Mr. T. J. Byrnes the other day. Probably Mr. Gladstone was thinking deeply of his Home Rule scheme at the time, and connected Australia with the subject uppermost in his mind; or perhaps the name of Byrnes suggested Home Rule. But it is not kind to wire Mr. Gladstone when he is a "bit off" like this round the world.

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They have been debating the question of inspectors in the New Zealand Parliament. It seems that it has at last dawned on the political mind over there that you can have too much of a good thing. It is all very well to have a special Act applying to every conceivable phase of life, but how are you going to carry out these unless you have the inspector? There is the inspector to see that no one plays the piano after 10 o'clock, the inspector to prosecute people who cut their names on park seats, the inspector to watch the arrival of alien commercial travellers, the inspector to prosecute mistresses who speak unkindly to their servants. Then, again, a lot more inspectors are required to inspect the inspectors, and, of course, it is necessary to have boards and committees to look after the head inspectors, whilst it is absolutely incumbent every now and then to have an inquiry or Royal commission into all the various departments of inspection. With all their progressiveness the New Zealanders are getting rather tired of it, for it seems that everyone else has a statutory right to inspect everyone else, and no visible good comes of it.

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The death of Colonel Chard once again stirs in us memories—reminiscences of that gallant defence of Rorke's Drift some 18 years ago, when a mere handful of the 24th Regiment made so plucky a stand against odds which language inadequately describes as overwhelming. It was one of the foremost incidents of the wars of the present century, and makes a not unequal parallel with the Spartan stand at the Pass of Thermopylae. It is becoming a somewhat ungracious fashion among the writers of a younger generation to sneer at the courage that charges a cannon's mouth in the imminent deadly breach, and to contrast it with the patient endurance of poverty and sickness that dog the footsteps of even the most fortunate; but, as Kipling says, it will be a sad day for the Empire when it ceases to be an active sentiment in the minds of the young and generous. War may be a terrible necessity, but it is doubtful if half the horrors of it are so deadly in their effect upon a nation as the cankerous peace that eats into all the noble instincts of a race. It is possible to pay too great a price for quiet and comfort. Man is the parent of some of the finest attributes that distinguish man from the brute, and that chivalrous warfare that found such magnificent expression in the defence of Rorke's Drift under the leadership of Chard and Bromhead is of the kind that brings only a flush of pride and exultation to their countrymen.

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The Tasmanian Cabinet has hit upon the happiest expedient for averting the perils of a campaign—the perils usually attendant upon a Ministerial defeat. Cabinets near and far are invited to observe how simply an adverse issue to a vote of censure was turned into a triumph over the rapacity of an Opposition. Sir Edward Braddon announced to a wondering public that he had consulted with his colleagues—a little diversion which "continued all day"—and as a result of this well-directed deliberation, the Cabinet "decided that the present was not an opportune time for resigning." Consequently, the Ministry would mercifully "continue to carry on the business of the country." There is no beating about the bush, or, rather, the constituencies, with the Tasmanian Cabinet. When Parliament, in one of its pleasantries, loses confidence in a government, all that appears to be necessary is to hold a day long Cabinet corroboree and mutually persuade each member of the Ministry that "the time is not opportune to resign." But naturally when so grave a disaster is to be inflicted on the country (and Ministers) elaborate calculations as to "opportuneness" are necessary. To determine to go to the country when dangers loom ahead is not the policy of the Tasmanian Ministry. When all is peaceful, and the Ministerial ship is sailing in smooth waters, such a thing as resignation or a dissolution may be warranted, but in the present circumstances Sir Edward Braddon's sagacity appears to be sound, and will no doubt be generally followed. The whole system is simple and safe, and will no doubt catch on wherever responsible government finds a habitation.

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It was, of course, a stupid and insulting enough question to ask Mr. Reid what had been the increase of suicides since the present Administration took office, and the snub given was quite justified. Nevertheless, it is appropriate that we should consider the matter of suicides just now. As with all other things, there are fashions in this. The early summer is the day for the despondent, just as in the early spring the young man's fancy is said to lightly turn towards a quite different form of suicide. But surely there are some days when all of us are putative suicides—when the wind is a mockery and the pavements are burning ploughshares—when the sky fiercely beats on your weakest spots, and the sun is as the pursuing angel. It is then that the over-worried, over-worked, nerve-strained take the leap that has perhaps suggested itself dimly to them many times before, and shuffle off this mortal coil. Most people die by their own hands on account of the weather, although they leave letters behind them to say it is domestic trouble, business losses, or what not.

A. B. C.

ON AN AUSTRALIAN LAKE.

By W. F. W.

The rain has ceased some hours now, and high overhead the great moon is peeping over the crest of a cloud. The storm is over, and the clouds are hurrying and skurrying across the sky. Myriads of stars wink and blink as they pass. All is quiet and still, save for the gentle soughing of the wind, as it plays amongst the trees. And down below, stretching away in dim perspective as far as the eye can reach, the lake unfolds itself, sombre and majestic. There it lies like a sea of glass, and down in its shadowy depths the moon looks up and the stars blink. Gently the waves lap against the shore; gently they whisper to each other, whilst the lake, shimmering and sparkling as the silver moon plays upon it, lies calm and still. Scarce a murmur; scarce a ripple upon the surface. So different from what it was but an hour or two ago, when the storm had raged about it. Then it was beside itself with fury; then it had pitched and tossed and fought and groaned—but now . . . Away over there, nestling on the bosom of the lake, a fishing smack lies silhouetted against the breaking sky. But the fisherman is sleeping. Tall, stately hills rise on every side, and seem to touch the clouds. A pelican emerges from the trees and hovers in mid-air; then it flies softly over the lake and disappears in the haze. All is very still. . . . And now the great moon dips its head once more behind a cloud, and the Elysium fades away.

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Such is Lake Macquarie—a worthy namesake of a worthy Governor—by night. But the lake by day is different, and, if it were possible, grander than by night. It is when the September sun, set in a clear blue sky, sheds its effulgence upon the scene that the lake is seen in its best garb. Then, indeed, when it has upon it the "spangled sheen" of which Milton has sung; when it is studded with those dainty sailing boats which are part and parcel of a fisherman's life; when "the birds burst into song" and "the vapours from the hills are torn in shreds, and zephyr breezes sweep along the waves"—then is the picture one for a Rubens or a Rembrandt—"a paradise of lake and wood and mountain, as sequestered as though the tourist were not," as Catherine Tynan has characterised Killarney. As for sunset on Lake Macquarie, there is nothing to equal it.

One can quite understand how it is the locality has earned for itself the renown of being at once the most beautiful and most healthy in New South Wales. Here, indeed, is a sanatorium for the invalid, for the worried business man of the city, toiling and moiling from year's end to year's end, for the victim of "that tired feeling" which no doctor can cure. It is here, like Lourdes, that dozens of patients are brought to look for the Elixir of life. And not the least agreeable thing of all is the accessibility of the lake from Sydney. A three-hours run in the train, and you are at Fassifern. A 20 minutes' journey in the horse trolly, and you are at Toronto. Once they had a steam tram, which used to take passengers to and from the lake, but the presence of a cow on the line one dark, stormy night, brought it to a premature end. Since then the more laborious and cumbersome mode of conveyance referred to has been resorted to. This may or may not be a drawback. Many would probably prefer it. For one thing, you know at once that you are far away from the din and the hubbub (and the 'buses and trams) of the city, and that is certainly comforting.

Toronto itself is one of the most charming little villages one could wish to see. It is rapidly growing in size, and that it is a popular holiday resort goes without saying. It is situated on the western side of the lake, and is called after its larger sister on Lake Ontario. Round about the lake they refer to Toronto as "Our Lady of the Lake," just as Kipling has designated Canada "Our Lady of the Snows." A magnificent hotel, with beautiful gardens and grounds attached, overlooks the lake, and from a balcony a panorama of colour and loveliness lies unfolded before one's eyes. Here there are billiard tables, dancing halls, and cricket and tennis grounds—in fact, all that a holiday-maker can desire. Then, too, there are at Toronto a flourishing Public school, a post and telephone office, a school of arts, a regatta club, a progress association, and all the rest of it. In places like Toronto the local schoolmaster is secretary to everything; he is one-half of Toronto; everybody else is the other half. Not unnaturally, it was to the schoolmaster I turned when I desired to glean some information regarding the locality, for there are several historical events it is responsible for that are not generally known.

It was here at Toronto on what is known as Coal Point that the first coal pit opened in the colony was worked. It is, indeed, still working. The coal was discovered by the Rev. Mr. Threlkeld, who had conducted a mission house there. Traces of the old homestead are still visible. It was here, too, that the first mission stations for the blacks were established, one at Swansea, at the entrance to the lake, one at Belmont, on the eastern side, and one at Toronto, which stands on the western shore. The Toronto Hotel now stands on the site the mission house formerly occupied, and the adjacent mulberry trees are said to have been planted at the time of the foundation of the mission settlement. The last of the Lake Macquarie pure blacks—Margaret, they used to call her—died about two years ago. This tribe of blacks used to be a particularly powerful one, but with the inexorable march of time (and, one might add, the inexorable march of the whites) they one by one have had to go.

Lake Macquarie measures 20 miles from end to end. Its average width is six miles, and its foreshores are said to measure exactly 365 miles—a mile, by the way, for every day in the year. A story runs to the effect that they were measured for a wager, one mile being stepped each day. It took a year to accomplish the task.

There are four settlements on the lake—Swansea, Belmont, Toronto, and Teralba. A prettier lot of villages one could hardly wish to see, but the prettiest of all is Toronto. If there were a good road direct from Newcastle to Toronto the drive would be a magnificent one. An agitation for the making of such a road is at present on foot. There is, however, a first-class road from the black city to Belmont, a distance of about 12 miles, and this is much used by pleasure-seekers.

Lake Macquarie is a saltwater lake, and runs parallel with the sea, the distance intervening being only some three or four miles. It is connected with the sea by a narrow channel or river. The Government has spent something like £145,000 in making a breakwater and in dredging the channel, but the latter is so tortuous that it silts as fast as it can be dredged. Had the money been spent in making a straight channel which would have scoured itself a magnificent harbour might have been made. As it is, only small ketches are able to run into the lake. At Cockle Creek, which enters the lake on the northern side, the Sulphide Corporation has erected large smelting works, and if the channel were practicable all the ores which at present are landed at Newcastle and taken by rail to Cockle Creek could be landed at once at the works.

The seam of coal in the district passes through the lake, and can be found in any of the surrounding hills. It is asserted that if the channel could be made practicable for large vessels the coal output would soon rival that of Newcastle. At Teralba coal-mining is carried on to a considerable extent, the mine being worked on the co-operative principle. All the miners are shareholders, and they thus enjoy more freedom and independence (besides making larger profits) than the fraternity do in mines not worked on this system. At all events, they lay this flattering unction to their souls. There are a dozen or more small coal-pits round about the lake, but the trouble is the vessels cannot get in the channel to take the coal away.

From the southern shore of Lake Macquarie to the Tuggerah Lakes is only a matter of a couple of miles, and a scheme has been mooted, I learnt, for the cutting of a canal between them. The Tuggerah Lakes, which are almost as large as though somewhat shallower than Lake Macquarie, would then be utilised for fish conservation. It is principally on the industry which Izaak Walton was so fond of that the residents of the locality have to depend for a living, but just at present, unfortunately, the fish are not so plentiful as they were. On an average 10,000 baskets per annum, however, are sent to the markets. It is on record that some years ago no less than 160 baskets were secured in one haul, representing over six tons of fish. But that was in the palmy days. As in horse-racing there is a glorious uncertainty about fishing. A man might fish for months in the lake for a bare subsistence, and then in one haul make more money than he had done for a whole month. But this is the same the world over. The Lake Macquarie fishermen themselves are about as tough and as jolly a set of fellows as you could wish to meet. There is certainly little doubt that their feet are exceptionally tough and hardened, for it is on their feet that they invariably strike the matches wherewith to light their pipes.

When strikes make their appearance at Newcastle hundreds of miners camp round the margin of the lake, subsisting principally on fish. This fact enables them to hold out longer than would otherwise be possible.

A ferry steamer, starting from Cockle Creek, where it meets the train, runs round the lake three days in the week, stopping at the different points, and showing excursionists all the places of interest with which the lake abounds.

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There is an island, some four or five square miles in extent, situated in the lake near the channel, the "official" name of which is Pulbah. But if you were to ask the fishermen where Pulbah was they would, to put it mildly, take you for a maniac. "Bury Your Own" is what the fishermen call it. It is difficult to say what the exact origin of this outlandish name is, but up at Toronto they have quite a number of explanations to offer. Some will tell you that the name is a corruption of a native word, "Burrayarroon." What "Burrayarroon" might have meant you are left in blissful ignorance of.

Also, they are somewhat superstitious at Toronto. There is a "wishing well" near Mount Waring (from the top of which you get one of the finest views of the lake and its surroundings obtainable), which they insist upon your visiting. This is a sacred place. Two lovers once stood on the edge of this well and plighted their troth. The girl picked up a stone and dropped it in the well.

"As soon as the stone rises to the top," she said, "so soon will my love for you die out." There was a gentle ripple, but nought else.

The man threw a stick in the well, and it floated on the surface.

"As soon as the stick sinks to the bottom," he said, "so soon will my love for you fade."

Then they went away. But years after they stood again at this very well as man and wife. There was no water in the well now. It had dried up. The stick had sunk to the bottom, and there was a stone lying on the top.

PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY.

HOLIDAY ARRANGEMENTS.

For the convenience of those desirous of spending the approaching holiday in the country the Railway Commissioners have arranged for the issue of cheap excursion tickets by trains leaving Sydney on Monday next, the 8th instant, at 4.40 p.m. and 4.53 p.m. (North Sydney 4.50 p.m.) for the Hawkesbury, Gosford, Newcastle, and intermediate stations; 4.50 p.m. and 5.25 p.m. for Mount Victoria; 5.15 p.m. for Picton, Goulburn, and intermediate stations; and 5.30 p.m. for Nowra. And on Tuesday, the 9th instant, at 7.30 a.m., for Wollongong, Nowra, and intermediate stations; 7.38 a.m. for Wollongong; 8 a.m. for Goulburn; 8.10 a.m. for Mount Victoria; 8.20 a.m. for Eskbank; and 8.15 a.m. (7.50 a.m. from North Sydney) for Newcastle. The tickets will be available for return by any train until and including Monday, the 15th instant, and to meet the convenience of business men and others trains for Sydney will leave Nowra at 4.35 a.m., Goulburn at 5 a.m., Moss Vale at 5.30 a.m., Mount Victoria at 5.55 a.m. and 6.15 a.m.; and Gosford at 6.30 a.m. on Wednesday, the 10th instant. Similar trains for Sydney will leave Orange at 9.20 p.m. on Monday, the 8th instant; and Nowra at 4.35 a.m., Goulburn 5 a.m., West Maitland 5 a.m., and Newcastle 6 a.m. on the following day (Tuesday). Holiday excursion tickets will also be issued this day (Saturday), to-morrow, Monday, and Tuesday, from all stations to all stations, except for distances under 15 miles on the metropolitan and Newcastle suburban sections, available for return until the following Monday. On Tuesday there will also be a special train service between Sydney and Ryde, in connection with the United Protestant Societies' Demonstration at the latter place. Numerous trains, at specially low fares, will run between Sydney and the National Park. There will likewise be an increased service between Sydney and Waterfall; also between Sydney and Hornsby, the latter enabling excursions to be made to Kurring-gai-chase. There will also be a cheap excursion to the Hawkesbury, leaving Redfern at 9.5 a.m. and 9.40 a.m. (North Sydney at 9.33 a.m), the river trip on board the steamer General Gordon occupying about 5 hours. In the country, for the convenience of those attending Rutherford races, there will be an increased service on Monday and Tuesday between Newcastle, West Maitland, and Rutherford; and on Tuesday between Newcastle and Toronto, for Lake Macquarie. On the Western line cheap excursion tickets to Bathurst, where a "record reign Jubilee carnival sports meeting" is to be held, will be issued by trains leaving Eskbank at 7.45 a.m. and Orange at 8.45 a.m. on Tuesday, returning from Bathurst the same day.

ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY.

The monthly meeting of the council of the Zoological Society was held at the society's rooms, Moore Park, yesterday. Mr. John Keep was in the chair, and there were also present Messrs. L. Hopkins, J. Barnet, Captain Ghest, Lieutenant-Colonel Waddell, Messrs. C. Moore, Greaves, and Beaumont. The monthly statement of accounts showed a credit balance at the bank of £758 16s 11d. The receipts from gate money for the five weeks ending November 4 were £197. The total number of persons who had visited the gardens during the month was 8955, and visits had also been paid by 888 school children, accompanied by 21 teachers. The secretary reported the following donations since last meeting:—Mr. H. Fitton (Redfern), a dove; Mr. Frank Beaumont (Mittagong), an echidna; Mr. W. James, a monkey; Mr. James Smith, three landrails, one Moreton Bay rosella, two common rosellas, one Wonga Wonga pigeon, one crested pigeon, one blue coot, one black magpie, one black-and-white magpie, three galars; Mr. W. A. Howard, one kangaroo rat; Mrs. Jewett, one dingo; Mr. G. A. Barnes, one native bear; Mr. George Lee, one diamond snake; Mr. Henry Burns, one death-adder; Mrs. Consul Sahl, one Leadbeater's cockatoo; Mrs. Thirkell, three rosellas; Mr. S. B. Bond, one monkey; Mrs. Hannah Walters, two white opossums. The Chicago Academy of Science sent their annual report for 1896, and also a treatise on the Lichen flora of Chicago and vicinity.

MEAT-FREEZING INVENTION.

Through the influence of the Agricultural Department Messrs. Geddes and Birt yesterday placed their refrigerating works at Pyrmont at the disposal of Dr. Brittin, of Papanui, for a demonstration of an invention by himself and Mr. Glass, engineer to the Belfast Freezing Works, Christchurch, whereby it is claimed that the freezing of meat can be carried out in a more satisfactory and expeditious manner than with the system hitherto adopted. The custom has been to place meat in the chambers and let the freezing progress from the surface inwards. It is alleged that in hot climates such as in Australia, South America and other countries it is found extremely difficult to freeze beef, as the carcases cannot be cooled of the latent animal heat before putrefaction sets in. The reason of this is the length of time taken for the freezing to penetrate right through, the mischief being done before the bone is reached. The main object of the new invention is to remedy that. The apparatus used is a hollow steel, shaped somewhat like the scabbard of a sword, but divided longitudinally from the hilt to near the apex by a steel septum. The freezing agent enters this from the supply pipe through a tube at the hilt, passes up one side to the point, returns down the other, then passes out through the second tube to the exhaust pipe, and is returned to the refrigerator to be recooled. The instrument is thrust into the meat so as to be near the bone, and thus freezing takes place from the inside outwards, whilst at the same time freezing goes on from the surface inwards. When the experiment was carried out yesterday there were two quarters of beef in the same chamber, one being treated by the new process, and the other simply hanging in the freezing room. The temperature of each was noted at intervals, and it was manifest that that of the quarter treated decreased much faster than that of the other.

A FAIR, BEAUTIFUL SKIN.
SULPHOLINE LOTION clears off Pimples, Blemishes, Irritation, Redness, Roughness, Skin Disfigurements. Shilling Bottles of Sulpholine, the English Skin Lotion.—Advt.

WAUGH'S BAKING POWDER obtained the only first-class award of highest degree of merit. Waugh's Baking Powder's the best.—Advt.

SOCIAL.

His Excellency the Governor, accompanied by the Hon. Dorothy Brand, and attended by Captain Feilden, A.D.C., left Sydney for Melbourne on Sunday last, and were present at the "Cup" and other Melbourne festivities.

Captain and the Hon. Mrs. Ferguson have been spending a few days at the National Park.

The grand fancy dress ball given by Lord and Lady Brassey at Government House, Melbourne, on Wednesday last, created a great amount of interest in Sydney as well as in Melbourne. As before stated, the ball was a most unqualified success, and seldom, if ever, has there been such an assemblage of splendour in Australia. Richness of effect and accuracy of detail were the chief points noticeable, many of the costumes being specially designed for the occasion, while other were copied from pictures in the National Gallery, old pictures, and taken from historical characters. The procession of the various character quadrille sets was most interesting and effective, their arrival being announced by heralds and trumpeters. The ladies and gentlemen forming these sets marched the whole length of the ballroom to places allotted to them, and then formed two lines down the room, through which Lord and Lady Brassey and the vice-regal house party passed on their way to the dais. The vice-regal set included Lord Brassey, who, as Louis XVI., wore a white satin coat, richly laced with gold and turquoise, an embroidered waistcoat, white satin knee-breeches, black shoes with buckles and red heels, and a hat of white satin edged with feathers. Lady Brassey, as "Marie Antoinette," wore a rich and regal gown, the white satin petticoat embroidered with silver fleur-de-lis, and the bodice and train being of orange velvet, and an exquisite fichu of old lace. His Excellency Lord Hampden, as "le Duc de Brissac," wore white satin knee-breeches, and waistcoat and coat of china-blue cloth, black hat, and lace ruffles. The Hon. Dorothy Brand, as "Princess de Lamballe," wore a lovely dress of white satin, over which fell folds of chiffon with narrow pink and green ribbons. The overdress was worn over a wide hoop, and was of green moire velours lined with white and caught up on one side. The Hon. Mrs. Freeman Thomas as "Madame Elizabeth" wore a lovely dress of rich pearl-grey satin, with petticoat and stomacher of white striped satin and moire, festooned with fine Brussels lace and caught with rubies and diamonds. The corsage was cut square in front, and had a high, wide lace collar embroidered with diamonds; powdered headdress, diamond and ruby ornaments. Captain Freeman Thomas, "Comte de Fersen," courtier of Louis XVI., in a purple coat richly laced, purple knee-breeches, and white satin and gold waistcoat. Mr. Albert Brassey, "Comte de Provence," blue velvet dress of the period of Louis XVI. Miss May Brassey, as "Mademoiselle de Lorraine," wore a very full white satin crinoline skirt, with ruche of roses festooned all round the bottom, graduating up towards the top in narrow points, a long white satin-pointed bodice, with full ruche of shaded pink roses round the top, and festoons of small roses hanging in long chains from one shoulder; powdered hair, with aigrette, wreath of pink roses.

On the occasion of the visit of his Excellency the Governor to unveil the fountain erected in commemoration of her Majesty's Jubilee at Hyde the Hon. Dorothy Brand was entertained by Miss Pye, of Willandra, and the following ladies were amongst the guests:—Lady Abbott, Mrs. Lindemann, Mrs. Edward Terry (of Eastwood), Miss Terry and Miss Rita Terry, Mrs. Campbell Galbraith, Mrs. Forrest, Mrs. Arthur Collingridge and Miss Marie Collingridge (of St. Cloud), Mrs. Heming, (Ermington Park) and Miss Heming, Mrs. Bulmer and Miss Bulmer, Mrs. Gordon Cumming Smith, Mrs. James Shuttleworth and Miss Shuttleworth, Mrs. Worthington, Mrs. Hibble, Mrs. Wells (of Cleves) and Miss Wells, Mrs. Henry Moses and the Misses Moses, Mrs. Wright (Lunhilda) and the Misses Wright, Miss Spencer (Walker Hospital), Mrs. R. R. Terry and Miss Terry, Mrs. Medcalfe (Ardenode, Dundas), Mrs. Brigg (Carlingford), Mrs. Frank Farnell, Mrs. M'Kay, Mrs. La Touche, Miss Alma Macpherson (Brisbane), Miss Jean Fletcher, Miss Violet and Miss Stella Taylor, Miss Jeanie Pye, Miss Britten, Mrs. Betts.

Mrs. Catto entertained a large party of friends at luncheon at the races on Derby Day, including Sir H. and Lady Williams, Miss Williams, the Misses Dangar, Colonel and Mrs. Price, Mrs. Lloyd and Miss Carter, Mrs. R. Power, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Moore, Mrs. R. Fanning, Mrs. H. Power, Captain Dangar, Mr. R. Bright, Mr. C. Hart, Mr. Cornish, and many others.

Mrs. H. W. Staughton gave a most enjoyable dance on the eve of the Cup at her residence, Laluma, Orrong-road, Toorak. The floral decorations attracted much attention, the mantelpieces being banked with roses, while great balls of roses were suspended under the gas brackets in the ballroom. The billiard table was hidden by beautiful roses laid side by side until the top was completely covered. Nestling in this bed were fairy lights. Amongst the guests were his Excellency Lord Hampden, the Hon. Dorothy Brand, Captain and the Hon. Mrs. Freeman Thomas, Captain Sloane-Stanley, Miss Sylvia Darley, Miss Marcia Cox, Mr. and Miss Osborne, Captain Feilden, Captain Wallington, Mr. and the Misses Brassey, Lord Richard Nevill, Lord Shaftesbury, Captain Pelham, &c.

Mrs. Albert Miller gave a brilliant ball at Whernside, Toorak, on Friday, October 29, for the purpose of introducing her daughter. The ballroom was decorated with scarlet and white, Mr. Miller's racing colours, and the supper tables were arranged with gold and pale yellow roses. Three other young ladies besides the daughter of the hostess made their debut upon this occasion—viz., Miss Muriel Williams (second daughter of Sir Hartley Williams), Miss Marjorie Brodribb (second daughter of Mrs. Kenric Brodribb), and Miss Lucy Shuter (youngest daughter of Mr. Charles Shuter).

Mrs. Baynton's reception at the Society of Artists' rooms was largely patronised on Saturday last. There was an excellent programme, which was thoroughly appreciated, particularly Mr. Souter's clever lightning sketches.

The marriage of Mr. Norman K. Ewing, M.L.A., solicitor, with Miss Maude Stone, eldest daughter of Mr. Justice Stone, was celebrated in St. George's Cathedral, Perth, Western Australia, on Friday, October 16, in the presence of a large number of friends. The bride is a member of one of the oldest families in Western Australia, and Mr. Ewing, the bridegroom, is the representative of the Swan in the Legislative Assembly. The chancel of the Cathedral was decorated with handsome palms, tree-ferns, and plants for the occasion, and as the bridal party entered the church, the choir sang "The Voice that Breathed o'er Eden." The wedding ceremony was performed by Dean Goldsmith, assisted by the Rev. R. J. Coyle. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a handsome dress of white duchesse satin, trimmed with lace chiffon, pearls, and orange blossoms, and was made with a court train, her plain tulle veil was worn over a wreath of orange blossoms, and she carried a lovely bouquet of white flowers. She was attended by her three sisters, the Misses Eva, May, and Edith Stone, who acted as bridesmaids. They were dressed alike in white bengaline silk, trimmed with lace and chiffon, and wore large white chiffon hats with white feathers and pink roses, and carried bouquets of white and pink roses. At the conclusion of the ceremony the wedding party adjourned to the residence of Mr. Justice Stone, Rose Hill, Adelaide Terrace, where the wedding breakfast was served, only a few friends and relations being present owing to recent bereavements in the family.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at St. Patrick's, Sydney, on October 27, when Mr. Henry Levy, eldest son of Mr. Joseph Levy, Torrens Ville, Rozelle, Balmain, was married to Miss Frances, second eldest daughter of the late Captain John Brady, shipowner, Ullswater, Balmain East. The bride entered the church on the arm of her brother-in-law, Mr. F. M'Donall, who subsequently gave her away, and wore white silk, the bodice tucked and fastened at the side with pleated silk and chiffon frills, edged with bebe ribbon. The collar was composed of Duchesse lace, as were the frills at the wrist and elbow; picture hat, with chiffon, orange blossoms, and lilac; and also wore a diamond brooch, the gift of the bridegroom. There were two bridesmaids—Miss Brety Levy, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Lizzie Brady, sister of the bride. The first-named wore white China silk over yellow silk, lavender silk sash, picture hat with feathers and ospreys; the latter white China silk over pink silk, pink sash, white Leghorn hat with plumes. Each wore gold chain dove brooches and gold bangles, the gifts of the bridegroom. On leaving the church the happy pair were showered with rice and rose leaves, and drove to Torrens Ville, where the wedding breakfast was served.

A pretty wedding was celebrated at St. John's Church, Darlinghurst, on Wednesday, November 3, when Miss Isabel Barnes, second daughter of Mr. James Barnes, of Paddington, was married to Mr. Henry L. Hall, second son of Mr. Hall, of Hurstville. The bride wore a pretty dress of white satin tulle, veil, and orange blossoms. She was attended by four bridesmaids—viz., Miss H. Hall, sister of the bridegroom, dressed in grey crepon, trimmed with pink silk and lace; Miss Ethel Barnes, sister of the bride, in white French muslin, trimmed with pink ribbon and lace; Miss Florence Krinks, in eau de Nil muslin, trimmed with pink ribbon and lace; and little Miss Hilda Buckingham, in pale blue silk, trimmed with white silk lace. Each of the bridesmaids wore gold brooches, presents of the bridegroom, and carried shower bouquets. The church was beautifully decorated by lady friends of the bride. At the reception, which was held at the residence of the bride's parents, Glenmore-road, a large number of presents were displayed in the drawing-room. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Krinks, Mr. and Mrs. J. Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. S. Buckingham, Mr. and Mrs. Osmond, Mrs. Jacobs, Misses Krinks (3), Miss Edwards, Mrs. Wallace, Misses Hilderbrandt, &c.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place on Saturday afternoon, October 16, when Mr. Charles Lund, of Yorkshire, England, was married to Miss Annie Johnson, only daughter of Mr. Parnell W. Johnson, of Highrood, Annandale (late of Holyrood, Glebe Point), the Rev. George Campbell officiating. The bride was beautifully dressed in apricot duchesse brocade, and prettily draped on the bodice with Maltese lace, the gift of the bridegroom, as was also a handsome diamond ring. She also wore a poke bonnet of Tuscan straw, covered with cream ostrich feathers, and carried a beautiful bouquet of orange blossoms, lilac, rhododendrons, and roses, which, with a handsome pearl brooch, were the gifts of Mr. and Mrs. Miles, of Ambleside, Ashfield. Mr. Charles Diamond acted as best man, and his sister, Miss Louie Diamond, as bridesmaid. The latter wore a pretty white China silk over buttercup silk, with fichu of Honiton lace, and a poke bonnet similar to that worn by the bride; a gold brooch, pair of pearl swallows, was the gift of the bridegroom. The bride was given away by her father. Mrs. Johnson wore a handsome dress of grey faille, artistically trimmed with black accordeon pleated chiffon and fichu of old black point lace. Mrs. Diamond wore a black brocade trimmed with passementerie. After the ceremony the newly-married couple were driven to Highroyd, where refreshments were served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Lund, amid a shower of rose leaves and old shoes, proceeded to the railway station, thence to Bulli, for the honeymoon. A dance was given on Wednesday evening at Highroyd, to which about forty of Mrs. Lund's young friends were invited.

Mrs. Prendergast and Mrs. Burdekin were the hostesses at the Victoria Club on Tuesday afternoon, and entertained a large number of friends. The rooms were prettily decorated with a profusion of flowers, and a gaily dressed throng of visitors kept coming and going all the afternoon. An excellent programme of music and singing was arranged, to which Miss Jessie Middleton, Mrs. Dobbie, Mr. Dobbie, Herr Straus, and Miss Gillies contributed. Among those present were Lady and Miss Manning, Mrs. Laidley Mort, Mrs. Douglas Mackenzie, Mrs. Savage, Mr. and Mrs. J. Alison, Mrs. Rennie, Mrs. Rendel Carey, Mrs. and Miss Marks, Mrs. E. Rundle, Miss Thorne, Mrs. Hotham, Mrs. Bossen, Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. Mullens, Mr. and the Misses Austin, Mrs. and the Misses Garran, Mrs. Merivale, Mrs. Brady, Mrs. Buckland, Mr. and Mrs. D'Arcy Irvine, Mrs. A. Seton Chisholm, Mrs. Street, Mrs. David Anderson, Mrs. Simpson, Miss Bloomfield, Miss Fitzgerald, and many others. Refreshments were served, as usual, in the dining-room.

The pretty garden at Quambi presented quite a gay appearance on Tuesday afternoon, when it was lent by Lady Darley for the purpose of a garden fete in aid of funds for All Saints' Church, Woollahra. The principal attraction was a floral bicycle ride in which 12 competitors took part, the riders being divided into two sections. In the first or younger division little Miss Holle took the prize, her bicycle being decorated most artistically by Miss Goodenough with flannel flowers and pale pink carnations, the handle bar being a mass of pink and white ribbons, and the little rider dressed in pale pink and white. Miss May Tarrant won the other prize, her bicycle being most effectively arranged with shaded yellow and white roses and Christmas bush. Miss Sylvia Chisholm's bicycle was also prettily decorated with pink and white hawthorn, while another young lady chose to have hers arranged with gaily coloured Chinese fans and a Chinese umbrella over her head which had a novel effect. Lady Darley, Mrs. C. B. Fairfax, and Mrs. Shand were the judges, and presented the prizes immediately after the ride. The fancy stalls were arranged on the lawn, refreshments were served on the tennis court, and the Bavarian Band played a bright selection during the afternoon. Amongst those present were the Rev. W. H. Mort and Mrs. Mort, Miss Darley, Miss Osborne, Mrs. Rothe, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Russell, Mrs. G. N. Griffiths and Miss Griffiths, Mrs. W. H. Suttor, Mrs. Griffin, the Misses Knox, Mrs. Buckland, Mrs. W. R. Campbell, Mrs. A. Chisholm, Mrs. H. Raymond, Mrs. H. Mort, Miss Mort, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Weston, &c. About £30 was realised by the fete.

A most successful conversazione given by the artists belonging to the Society of Artists was held in their exhibition galleries in Pitt-street on Monday evening, which was largely attended. The visitors were received by the committee, including Mr. Julian Ashton, Miss Theo. Cowan, Miss Ethel Stephens, and Messrs. S. Long, J. M. Conroy, D. H. Souter, S. W. Pring, and D. G. Reid. The rooms were prettily decorated for the occasion, and Truda Brothers' Band played at intervals during the evening, and light refreshments were served. The company included Mr. and Mrs. Lyne, Mr. R. R. Garran and the Misses Garran, Mr. and Mrs. T. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Porter, Mr. J. H. Carruthers, Major Savage, Signor Hazon, Mr. J. T. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Vickery, Miss Florence Schmidt, Mr. Hall Thorpe, Mrs. Kingsmill Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jones, and many others.

On Tuesday evening Miss Winifred Stratton (Mrs. Robb) arranged a concert at the Society of Artists' rooms, and was ably assisted in the musical programme by Miss Lilian Frost and Mr. Kendall. Mrs. Martel and Miss Aida Hatchwell recited, and Miss Cohen (a pupil of Mrs. Robb's) sang for the first time in public, and was well received. Mrs. Robb also sang and played during the evening. There was a large attendance, including Mr. and Mrs. Backhouse, Mrs. and Miss Verge, Mrs. Stratton, Mrs. Kerr, Miss Muskett, and many of the artists.

Mrs. Arthur Bernli held her first "at home" on Tuesday last, after her return from England, at St. Damien's, Neutral Bay, when a number of friends called to welcome her back.

A pleasant social was given at Lovett's Hall, Waverley, by the Misses Mayer and pupils on Tuesday, the 2nd instant. Refreshments were handed round during the evening, after which prizes were presented to the successful pupils.

Holiday requisites, whether Hats, Gloves, Ready-made Costumes, Blouses, Parasols, or any of the usual necessaries for a holiday, are best when procured from a reliable firm like Messrs. W. T. Waters and Co., the well-known Ladies' Outfitters, of George and King streets.—Advt.

THE ALLEGED EARL OF HARDWICKE.

CHARGE OF FALSE PRETENCES.

At the Water Police Court yesterday Harry E. Picker, alias the "Earl of Hardwicke," was charged before Mr. G. H. Smithers, S.M., with obtaining by means of a false pretence from William Henry Flavelle three cigar cases, three silver cigarette cases, one cigarette case, and three match boxes, valued at £21, on October 4; he was further charged with obtaining, on October 8, a bouquet-holder, a pincushion, a hair brush, two toilet sets, two ladies' companions, a photo frame, five trinket boxes, four flasks, a shaving mug and brush, a gold watch, a gold albert, two gold pill cases, four silver watches, and four silver alberts, valued at £56 7s 6d, from W. H. Flavelle, by means of a false pretence and with intent to defraud; and also with similarly obtaining, on October 20, five studs, valued at £8 5s. Detective Goulder gave evidence as to having had conversations with accused whilst the latter was staying at the Hotel Australia. Picker had stated to him that he was the Earl of Hardwicke, having come into the title three months ago upon the death of his father. Subsequently Goulder arrested him at the Woolpack Hotel, Parramatta, and found in his possession several articles of jewellery produced, as well as a passbook on a Manchester bank in the name of Harry E. Picker, and a pawn ticket. Prior to his arrest accused, on being informed by Goulder that Captain Ferguson, private secretary to Lord Hampden, had seen his photograph and said it was not the photograph of the Earl of Hardwicke, had admitted his imposture, remarking, "No; I am not the Earl of Hardwicke; but at present I decline to say who I am." The photograph referred to, which was found in accused's possession, represented him as a military officer in undress uniform. Frederick James Shakespeare Young, fruitgrower, residing at Burrawong, about 40 miles from Orange, said that he had met accused at Molong on September 17, and the latter had then become his guest and remained at his house for four and a half weeks. Whilst there accused, who was known to him as Picker, stated that he was the Earl of Hardwicke and was only travelling under the name of Picker. Several pawnbrokers gave evidence as to accused having pawned with them articles which they produced. Captain Ferguson, private secretary to his Excellency the Governor, said that he knew the Earl of Hardwicke, and accused was not he. William Henry Flavelle deposed that he had received the letters produced, in which the Earl of Hardwicke asked him to forward the articles above-mentioned to him at Burrawong station. The letters were written on the stamped note of the proprietor of Burrawong. Accused listened courteously whilst the evidence was being given, but refused to question any of the witnesses. When asked whether he had anything to say to show why he should not be committed for trial he replied, "I wish to say nothing." He was accordingly committed for trial at the next Darlinghurst Quarter Sessions. Bail was allowed, accused in £200, and sureties to that amount.

POLICE COURTS.

Supposed Stolen Goods.—At the Central Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Delohery, S.M., Henry Williams, 49, and Horatio Hopkins, 44, were sentenced to three months' and one month's hard labour respectively, for having in their possession three shirts, two aprons, &c., suspected to have been stolen. Henry Edwards, 51, was fined £1, in default seven days' gaol for having in his possession a door mat supposed to have been stolen.

Breaches of the Shops and Factories Act.—At the Central Summons Court yesterday, before Mr. Edwards, S.M., H. S. Jeannerett, proprietor of the Troy Laundry, 561 Harris-street, was fined 10s on each of two charges of employing a female more than 48 hours in a week and £1 11s 6d costs, and was fined 2s 6d, with 5s 6d costs, on each of two charges of employing a female under 18 between the hours of 7 p.m. and 6 a.m. Mr. Armitage, inspector under the Act, prosecuted.

Cruelty.—H. Howell, for causing a horse to be cruelly ill-treated, was fined £2, in default 14 days' gaol, at the Central Summons Court yesterday.

Not Paying Train Fare.—George Chesterman, 20, for travelling in the Hurstville-Sydney train without paying the fare, was fined £1, in default seven days' imprisonment, at the Central Police Court yesterday.

Stabbing Affray Among Schoolboys.—At the Newtown Police Court, before Mr. Macfarlane, D.S.M., a schoolboy named Francis Waygood, aged 12 years, was charged with having inflicted grievous bodily harm upon another schoolboy named Bertie Levy, aged 9 years, by stabbing him with a knife at Stanmore on the 2nd instant. Bertie Levy stated that he resided with his parents at Petersham, was 9 years old, and attended the Stanmore Public School. He was at school on Tuesday last, and after the scholars were dismissed at 4 p.m. he in company with others went to the Seventh Day Adventist Camp. A number of the boys were throwing stones at each other. The accused chased witness among the tents, and finally caught him by the neck and stabbed him in the back with a penknife. The accused then ran away, but before doing so pulled the knife out of witness's back. Dr. M'Ilroy gave evidence that he attended to the boy Levy. He found him suffering from a stab in the back. The wound was not a dangerous one. At this stage the charge was reduced to one of common assault, to which the accused pleaded not guilty, and gave evidence that he was 12 years old. He stated that when he ran after Levy the latter had a knife in his hand and fell on the ground. Levy lifted the knife high up in the air and brought it round with a swing. Witness caught hold of the knife to take it from him. The knife was in the struggle accidentally forced on to Levy's back. Other evidence having been given, the magistrate said fortunately the injuries had proven not very serious. However if boys carried on in this way and used knives very serious results would follow. He found the case proven, and the accused stood convicted of the assault, but he being under the age of 16 years and this his first offence he would discharge him under a special Act upon a recognisance being entered into, himself in £50 and his father in £50, that he be of good behaviour for 12 months.

LAW REPORT.

Friday, November 5.

BANCO COURT.

(Before the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Stephen, and Mr. Justice Owen.)

EX PARTE JAMES ROBINSON.

Mr. Cowan, instructed by Mr. P. H. Sullivan, appeared for James Robinson, and moved for a rule nisi for a writ of habeas corpus directed to Jane Robinson, of Crown-street, Sydney, to deliver up to applicant his infant son, Sydney Robinson, aged seven years. In his affidavit Robinson stated that about 1892, while he was residing in Tasmania, his wife deserted him, taking with her two children, the issue of the marriage, namely, Elsie, nine years of age, and Sydney, aged seven. He subsequently came to Sydney, and after some correspondence with his wife he sent her money to enable her to join him in Sydney. Upon arrival, however, she refused to live with him, and went to service for about two years. Applicant took charge of the children for eight months, when he then placed them in the custody of a lady at North Sydney, where they remained for about 18 months. In October, 1894, his wife took the children away. In January, 1895, Robinson left for Western Australia, but before doing so he obtained possession of the children and placed them in charge of the matron of the Children's Home, Balmain. When he had established a house at Coolgardie he sent for the children, but found that respondent had taken the boy away from the home with force and had him now in her custody. He applied for a writ of habeas corpus to obtain possession of the child, alleging that the respondent owing to her habits was unfit to have charge of him. Two affidavits were also filed mainly as to the characters of applicant and respondent respectively.

The rule was granted, and made returnable on Friday next.

ZOBEL v. CROUDACE.

Sir Julian Salomons, Q.C., Mr. Wise, and Mr. Conroy, instructed by Mr. A. Nicholson, appeared for the plaintiff, Martin Zobel, of Orange, and moved to make absolute a rule nisi directing Thomas Croudace to amend the rule dismissing the application to dissolve the injunction, dated August 24 last, by mentioning or inserting therein the affidavits of Arthur Nicholson, George Gander, Martin Zobel, and Jacob Werritt, all of which were served and filed in the case. The Attorney-General (Mr. J. H. Want, Q.C.) and Dr. Cullen, instructed by Messrs. Westgarth and Co., appeared for the defendant.

The application was granted, costs to be costs in the cause.

ZOBEL v. CROUDACE.

The Attorney-General (Mr. J. H. Want, Q.C.) and Dr. Cullen, instructed by Messrs. Westgarth and Co., appeared for the defendant, Thomas Croudace, and moved for a rule granting him leave to appeal to the Privy Council from the judgment of the Court on the 24th August last. Sir Julian Salomons, Q.C., Mr. Wise, and Mr. Conroy, instructed by Mr. Arthur Nicholson, appeared for the plaintiff to oppose the application. It appeared that in March last the plaintiff issued a writ against Thomas Croudace (manager of the Scottish Australian Mining Company), claiming £1000 damages for trespass by the defendant on certain land, being part of portion 147, parish of Clarendon, the lease of which had been applied for by him under the Mining on Private Lands Act of 1894 and the Mining Laws Amendment Act of 1896. He also asked for an injunction until the hearing to restrain the defendant, his servants, labourers, workmen, and agents from committing acts of trespass upon the land included in the application for a lease. On March 20 last Mr. Justice Stephen granted the injunction. The defendant thereupon appealed against this decision to the Full Court, and on August 24 last the Court not only heard that application, but a demurrer by the defendant to the second count of the plaintiff's declaration, both matters being argued together. The Court found in favour of the plaintiff, overruling the demurrer and refusing to dissolve the injunction. The defendant now desired to obtain leave to appeal to the Privy Council against the refusal to dissolve the injunction, but the plaintiff opposed the application on the ground that the matter was not of the value of £500, nor did it involve questions of property above that amount. It was also argued on his behalf that the judgment of the Court, being merely of an interlocutory nature and not final, there could be no appeal; and further that if the leave asked for was granted it would tie up the plaintiff's action, which would probably come on at next December sittings. On the other hand, it was argued that the decision of the Court for all the purposes of the appeal was a final judgment between the parties.

The Court, by majority, granted the leave asked for.

RE THE INCORPORATED LAW INSTITUTE (DAVID FEALY RESPONDENT).

Mr. Hanbury Davies, instructed by Mr. A. W. M'Carthy, appeared for the Incorporated Law Institute, and moved to make absolute a rule nisi under which David Fealy, a solicitor of the court, had been called upon to answer certain matters contained in the affidavit of Mr. M'Carthy, and to show cause why he should not be attached for non-payment of the costs, which the Court had ordered him to pay. It appeared that on September 3 last Mr. Fealy was ordered to pay certain costs in a motion then heard against him, and on September 14 an order for the taxation of these costs was taken out, and the costs were taxed at £60 17s 2d. The order of the Court was for the payment of the costs of the motion by the respondent to Mr. A. W. M'Carthy, the solicitor of the Law Institute, and several letters were written to Mr. Fealy in regard to the amount owing. On October 26 last, which was the first occasion upon which he had taken notice of the letters written to him, Fealy sent the following letter to Mr. M'Carthy:—"You are always making untrue statements. I wrote the principals. It is notorious that you are of your own free will the hon. secretary of the Incorporated Law Institute, and that they are not liable to pay you for legal work, but you misled the Prothonotary to tax on a wrong principle, and I, having no money, could not review. I now know some of your doings with Griffin. I don't want to have anything to do with you; you will come to no good. The counsel will, I feel sure, look into the matter unbiassed, and will not ask me to indemnify them against what they do not owe. All money payable by me is their money, and will be paid to them by me sooner or later." Mr. Ferguson appeared for the respondent, and so there was no question that Mr. Fealy was in contempt in not paying the money. He had paid £7 of the amount to the Law Institute, which was all that he could do at present, and he asked the Court on Mr. Fealy's behalf to grant him some indulgence to enable him to pay the balance.

The Chief Justice: What has he to say as to this very improper letter written by him?

Mr. Ferguson said he could only say that Mr. Fealy had explained to him that it was written hastily and angrily. It was intended as a private letter to Mr. M'Carthy, and was one of a number of other letters which he had attached to his affidavit in reply. Mr. Fealy was for a considerable time in communication with the Incorporated Law Institute endeavouring to get them to consent to a reduction of the amount of the bill of costs, and he put before them—whether rightly or wrongly—that Mr. M'Carthy, being honorary solicitor of the Law Institute, could only recover the costs out of pocket. He was not going to argue that point before the Court; but Mr. Fealy wrote a number of letters to the Law Institute which were unobjectionable in their terms referring to the question, and pointing out his circumstances, and asking for indulgence. No doubt he received other letters from Mr. M'Carthy which he ought to have answered.

The Chief Justice said he was sure the Law Institute did not desire to press hardly upon the respondent but he ought to be able to hold out some prospect of payment. These costs were imposed as punitive costs, and though the Court could not act against Mr. Fealy in the recent proceedings because the information came from one who alleged himself to be an accomplice, still the explanation Mr. Fealy gave of his conduct was looked upon by the Bench as very unsatisfactory, to say the very least of it, and therefore the Court imposed these costs upon him as a punishment. At the same time he had no doubt the Law Institute did not wish to press hardly upon the respondent. He ought, however, to make some offer to pay by instalments.

Mr. Ferguson: Mr. Fealy states in his affidavit that he has made an offer to the Law Institute to pay £7 per quarter.

The Chief Justice: And he ought to offer an humble apology to Mr. M'Carthy for writing that letter.

Mr. Ferguson: That Mr. Fealy has offered to do, and to say that the letter was written in a time of anger.

The Chief Justice: It was a grossly improper letter to write, and utterly unwarranted.

Mr. Ferguson: That is admitted, your Honor, and Mr. Fealy requests me to tender his apology to Mr. M'Carthy.

Mr. Davies said there was one matter which the Court would perhaps allow him to refer to. Mr. Fealy paid £7 to the Law Institute, and in doing so he had acted all through on the principle of ignoring Mr. M'Carthy altogether, though the Court ordered that the costs after taxation should be paid to him as the solicitor of the Law Institute. He had held no communication with Mr. M'Carthy except the communication referred to in the latter's affidavit, and all Mr. Fealy's other letters were written to the Incorporated Law Institute.

Mr. Ferguson: I admit that that was also improper.

Mr. Davies: With regard to the costs, the Law Institute did not wish to press the respondent in any way, and they left the matter entirely in the hands of the Court.

The Court made an order for the payment by respondent of £10 per quarter, with costs of the application.

EQUITY COURT.

(Before the Chief Judge in Equity, Mr. Justice Manning.)

PAYMENT OUT.

In the matter of Winifred Brabin, infant, by Sarah Sophia Brabin, her next friend, and in the matter of the estates settled by James Brabin, the elder, deceased, and of the estate of James Brabin, the younger, deceased, intestate. Mr. Leverrier appeared in support of a petition. The petitioner was Sarah Sophia Brabin, of Granville, widow. She asked that her dower in the sum of £686 12s might be capitalised, and that such capitalised sum be paid to the petitioner. She also prayed that the income of the balance of the fund standing to the credit of the account after payment to the petitioner might be allowed for the future maintenance of Winifred Brabin, and that such sum might be ordered to be paid to the petitioner in quarterly instalments. His Honor made the order as prayed, assessing the amount due to the petitioner at £193 19s 3d, and authorised the balance remaining to be paid out of court, and to be invested for the child.

SERVICE OUT OF JURISDICTION.

Mr. Langer Owen applied for leave to serve out of the jurisdiction of the Court upon George Jules Sange and Edmund Martell, trading as Edmund Martell and Co., of France, a notice of a suit to restrain the defendants from selling any brandy in this colony under the name of Martell and Co., the plaintiff being Edouard Martell, trading as Martell and Co. This, it may be mentioned, was the first application under the service of Equitable Process Act recently passed into law. The Act enables notices to be served under persons residing outside of the jurisdiction of the Court. Leave was given for the service of the notice.

PROBATE COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice A. H. Simpson.)

WELSH v. WELSH.

(Part heard.)

Mr. Hanbury Davies, instructed by Messrs. A'Beckett and Horrocks, for the plaintiff, Margaret Welsh, and the official defendants, the Master in Equity, and the Curator of Intestate Estates, and Messrs. Garland and Gordon, instructed by Messrs. Chenhall and Eddie (agents of Mr. J. Robinson, of Forbes), for the defendant, Matthew Welsh.

The taking of the evidence in this case was concluded, and argument by counsel was fixed for Wednesday next. The case stands part heard.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

(Before the Registrar.)

The following have been granted probates:—Susan Arthur, William Cosier, Michael J. Conlon, Alexander W. Davidson, Annette E. G. Edwards, Edward R. Hanlon, James Methvin, James Richard Oakes, Larke Priddle, Thomas Stoddart, Arthur C. Westley. Administrations:—Elizabeth Bland, Jane Morgan, Charles Smith, Mary W. Wansey. Resealing:—Richard Hicks, late of Cornwall, England.

DIVORCE COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Simpson.)

FOX v. FOX.

This was a petition by Maria Elizabeth Fox (formerly Hannan) for a dissolution of her marriage with John Francis Fox, of Kempsey, tea agent and traveller, on the grounds of his misconduct with Annie Samuels and Emily Coulter, and of cruelty. The respondent denied misconduct with Annie Samuels, but admitted misconduct with Emily Coulter, and pleaded that petitioner had condoned the offence. He also pleaded that petitioner by her conduct had contributed to the offence, and that she had been guilty of misconduct with James Henry Betts, farmer, of Euroka. Mr. Whitfeld, instructed by Mr. J. A. T. Perry (agent for Mr. J. R. M. Marrack, of Kempsey), was for the petitioner, and the respondent appeared in person. Mr. Windeyer, instructed by Messrs. Lane and Roberts, appeared for the respondent Annie Samuels; and Mr. James, instructed by Mr. J. A. T. Perry (agent for Mr. J. R. M. Marrack, of Kempsey), for the intervener Betts. The hearing of evidence was resumed.

Annie Samuels said that she made the acquaintance of the respondent in September, 1891, when she and her husband lived in a house owned by the petitioner. She denied having on any occasion been guilty of misconduct with him, and the longest time he had ever remained in her house was from an hour to an hour and a half, when he came to make some repairs to the ceiling. She had never on any occasion gone out with the respondent. She had never told Mrs. Firman, one of the witnesses, that Fox said he wished he was single, as he would take her to Wollongong to live with him.

George Child, brother-in-law of the last witness, said that he constantly visited Mrs. Samuels's house. He had never seen Fox there.

Solomon Samuels, husband of the intervener, said that on one occasion a witness named Mrs. Oliver had told him that his wife had been to Wollongong with Fox. Mrs. Firman also told him a similar story, and when his wife denied it said that she was a liar. He had some words with his wife on the subject, and a coolness sprang up between them for a little time, but eventually they became friendly again. He had never mistrusted his wife.

James Henry Betts denied the allegations of misconduct with the petitioner. Examined by the respondent he denied that any scandal had ever been caused by the behaviour of himself with Mrs. Fox at picnics. He had never kissed Mrs. Fox in the bedroom, nor had he said to the respondent that he thought that as they were all Christians it did not matter. On one occasion when he had been a journey of 55 miles preaching he took tea at Fox's house, and Fox said to him, "You must be tired; you had better stop at home with Mrs. Fox, while I go to church." He remained in the house, but his second daughter also stopped. He had never on any occasion stayed at home from church alone with Mrs. Fox.

Esther Elizabeth Betts, daughter of the previous witness, said that on two occasions when Mrs. Fox stopped at their house she occupied the same bed as witness. On the afternoon in January when Mrs. Fox came to their place she was in witness's company the whole while. Mrs. Fox was never in the front bedroom at all, but put on her hat in witness's bedroom.

Henry Arthur Betts, son of the intervener, corroborated the evidence of the previous witness as to his sister remaining with her father when he stopped away from evening church at Fox's place. Witness went to church with Fox.

To his Honor: He would swear that he had never spoken to his father or his sister about the case; nor had they mentioned it to him.

Mary Child, sister of Mrs. Samuel, said that she was a constant visitor to the Samuels. She had never seen the respondent Fox at her sister's.

John Black M'Ilroy, legally qualified medical practitioner, of Johnston-street, Annandale, said that he attended Mrs. Fox from June 4, 1895, for about two months. He considered that the nature of her illness would predispose her to hysteria, and would also tend to produce irritability of temper. A person in a hysterical condition might develop unexpected strength. Mrs. Fox was not in a fit state of health to undertake the removal of her household to Kempsey.

Cross-examined by the respondent: He was aware that Mrs. Fox had been suffering from the same illness for two years, and had been attended by other doctors.

The petitioner, recalled, said that at the time she beat the child which was in her charge she was in such a hysterical condition that she did not know what she was doing. Her only reason for not joining her husband at Kempsey was that she was under medical treatment, and not strong enough to go.

His Honor: If she was strong enough to beat this boy in the savage cruel way she did, she must have been pretty strong. If it were the strength of a mad woman, well and good.

Petitioner, continuing, said that when she went to join her husband at West Kempsey he frequently struck her, and on one occasion he spat in her face. After that she told him that she would never forgive him for anything, and burned all his letters.

Cross-examined by the respondent: She had never played "kiss in the ring" at picnics at Kempsey. At the Euroka Sunday School picnic she joined in a game called "jolly old miller."

The case stands part heard.

BANKRUPTCY COURT.

(Before the Registrar, Mr. Arthur Henry.)

EXAMINATIONS UNDER SECTION 30.

Re James Bourke, of the Glebe, hotelkeeper. An examination was held under section 30. Mr. Murphy appeared for the official assignee.

Re Alfred Charles Gill. An examination was held under section 30, and the taking of further evidence was adjourned to the 12th instant. Mr. Gordon appeared for the official assignee.

DISTRICT COURT.

(Before Judge Backhouse.)

STANWAY AND ANOTHER v. CABBAN.

This was an action which was before the Court on Tuesday. The claim was by Messrs. Stanway and Slack, house and land agents, North Sydney, against Sydney H. Cabban, of Miller-street, North Sydney. The amount sued for was £22 10s for commission stated to be due for the sale of a cottage at North Sydney. The defence was that the cottage was not sold through the agency of the plaintiffs. The Judge gave a verdict for the defendant, with costs.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

(Before Judge Murray.)

Mr. W. L. Meredith prosecuted for the Crown.

ACQUITTED.

Thomas M'Dermott pleaded not guilty to an indictment charging him with having, on October 23, stolen a box, two securities, and the sum of £27 6s 3d, the property of Mary Napier. He was found not guilty and discharged.

Thomas Murphy was charged with having been found by night with an implement for house-breaking, to wit a skeleton key, in his possession. The accused was defended by Mr. P. H. Sullivan, was found not guilty, and discharged.

EMBEZZLEMENT.

Arthur Anderson was charged with having on July 31, while employed as a clerk to Henry Bull and Co., embezzled the sum of £2714 1s 6d, the property of his employers. The accused, for whom Mr. Levien appeared, pleaded guilty. On the application of Mr. Levien, who said he wished to call evidence as to character, his Honor remanded the prisoner until Monday morning.

CHARGE OF LIBEL.

Arno Thierman pleaded not guilty to a charge of having on June 9 written and published a libel in the form of a writing in the German language of and concerning one John James Roth. Mr. C. Teece appeared for the defendant. The writing complained of was directed to Mr. Roth at the German Club. It contained, among other matters, a reference to the prosecutor as a "dirty scoundrel," and went on to say "I only hope that you will never again have the chance to cheat anyone else."

The accused was found guilty and sentenced to 12 months' imprisonment, the sentence to be suspended under the terms of the First Offenders Act upon his entering into recognisances to be of good behaviour for 12 months.

CASES FOR MONDAY.

William Pollit, receiving stolen property; William Pickleston, indecent assault.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—Monday, November 8.

Term List.—New trial motions: Kerle and another v. Smith, Howard and another v. M'Innes, Kelly v. Daily Telegraph Newspaper Company, Limited, M'Grath v. Marshall, Hudson Brothers, Limited and Reduced, v. Young.

Master's Office.—At 10.30 a.m.: Emanuel v. Smellie, to settle draft certificate. At 11 a.m.: Broome v. Cohen, to proceed on accounts (all day appointment). Before the Chief Clerk in Equity.—At 11 a.m.: Croker's Mint Company, to pass accounts.

In Divorce.—Before his Honor the Judge in Divorce.—At 10 a.m.: Fox v. Fox (part heard).

Probate Jurisdiction.—Before the Probate Judge.—At 10: Motions for probate and administrations, motions to pass accounts and commission, motions for power to sell real estate, miscellaneous motions; after bankruptcy matters, Welsh v. Welsh (part heard). Before the Registrar.—At 11: To proceed on accounts in the following estates:—William Colwell, Mary Jane Black, H. M. Terry.

Before his Honor the Judge in Bankruptcy.—At 10 a.m.: Re Michael Drew, motion for employment of solicitor nunc pro tunc.

Before the Registrar in Bankruptcy.—At 11 a.m.: Hearing of creditors' petitions: A.J.S. Bank, Limited, v. John Smith, Robert Sandeman Collum, trading as Sandeman, v. D. Purser, Bank of New South Wales v. James Thomas Piper. Certificate applications: At 2 p.m.: Neville I. Kingsbury. Single meetings: At 11 a.m.: Patrick Hayes, Frederick Stelland Gibbons, Thomas Richard Cox, Alfred Charles Gill. Examination under sec. 30: Patrick Hayes.

Before the Chief Clerk.—At 2.10 p.m.: Re Michael Drew, taxation of debtor's costs.

DISTRICT COURT.—Monday, November 8.

(Before his Honor Judge Backhouse at 10 a.m.)

Causes.—Hayes v. Slocombe (to be mentioned), Green v. Quinn (part heard), Grounelle v. Bernard (part heard), Symonds v. Murray (part heard), Malouf v. Haron, Smith v. Grimley, Hill and others v. Blackwell, Henderson v. Hardie and another, Freedman v. Tonkin, Booker v. Bredero, Bird v. Cohen, Elderton v. Bloomer, Gibbons v. Thorpe and another, Wilkinson v. Fiateau.

(Before the Registrar, in No. 2 Court.)

Taxation of Costs.—Mahoney v. Lorenzini, 11 a.m.; Fowler v. Gray, 11.15 a.m.; Adams v. Raynor, 11.30 a.m.; Kelly v. Hawthorne, 11.35 a.m.; Goodlet and another v. Iveson, 11.45 a.m.; Stanway v. Cabban, 11.50 a.m.

NEW STAMP DUTIES.

AMENDED PROBATE DUTIES.

A GRADUATED SCALE FROM 1 TO 10 PER CENT.

In his financial statement the Premier intimated that it would be necessary for him to ask Parliament to agreed to an increase in the present probate duties, and to the amendment of the Stamp Duties in the direction of stopping a number of leaks from which the revenue at present suffered considerable loss. Mr. Reid has been prompt in bringing in the legislation to enable this to be done. Immediately upon the close of the financial debate on Friday morning the Premier induced the House to agree to the introductory stages of a new Stamp and Probate Duties Bill, and the measure was read the first time before the House adjourned. Clause 1 provides for the levying of stamp duties on about 20 different kinds of documents not deal with, under the present Stamp Duties Acts. These new stamp duties, the Premier explains, are "in addition to, and not in substitution for, the duties at present in force. There are only one or two substitutions for the present duties. The new probate duties, on the other hand, are in substitution for the present duties. Under the Act of 1880 the probate duty was 1 per cent. on the amount of all estates. The amending Act of 1886 repealed this provision, and substituted a graduated tax as follows:—

On the probate or letters of administration to be granted in respect of any estate, real and personal, of deceased persons—Where the value of such estate is under £5000, 1 per cent.; £5000 and under £12,500, 2 per cent.; £12,500 and under £25,000, 3 per cent.; £25,000 and under £50,000, 4 per cent.; £50,000 and over that amount, 5 per cent.

The new bill now before the House proposes to repeal this scale and to substitute a stiffer graduation, rising from 1 per cent. up to 10 per cent., as follows:—

Where the total value of such estates, after deducting all debts, does not exceed £1000 ... 1 per cent.

Where the value exceeds	Does not exceed	Per cent.
£1,000	£5,000	2
5,000	6,000	3
6,000	7,000	3 1-5
7,000	8,000	3 2-5
8,000	9,000	3 3-5
9,000	10,000	3 4-5
10,000	12,000	4
12,000	14,000	4 1-5
14,000	16,000	4 2-5
16,000	18,000	4 3-5
18,000	20,000	4 4-5
20,000	22,000	5
22,000	24,000	5 1-5
24,000	26,000	5 2-5
26,000	28,000	5 3-5
28,000	30,000	5 4-5
30,000	32,000	6
32,000	34,000	6 1-5
34,000	36,000	6 2-5
36,000	38,000	6 3-5
38,000	40,000	6 4-5
40,000	44,000	7
44,000	48,000	7 1-5
48,000	52,000	7 2-5
52,000	56,000	7 3-5
56,000	60,000	7 4-5
60,000	64,000	8
64,000	68,000	8 1-5
68,000	72,000	8 2-5
72,000	76,000	8 3-5
76,000	80,000	8 4-5
80,000	84,000	9
84,000	88,000	9 1-5
88,000	92,000	9 2-5
92,000	96,000	9 3-5
96,000	100,000	9 4-5
And over the value of £100,000		10

It will be noticed that up to £1000 the new legislation does not propose to make any alteration in the present duty of 1 per cent., but the limit for this percentage is reduced from £5000 to £1000.

The new stamp duties are as follows:—

Acknowledgment by executor or administrator in lieu of conveyance under section 20 of the Probate Act of 1890 Amendment Act, £1.

Affidavit or statutory declaration, 1s.

Appraisement.—Instruments setting forth any appraisement or valuation of any property or any interest therein, or of the annual value thereof, or of any dilapidations or any repairs wanted, or of the materials and labour used or to be used in any building, or of any artificer's work whatever—where the amount of the appraisement or valuation does not exceed £20, 1s; exceeds £20 and does not exceed £50, 2s 6d; exceeds £50 and does not exceed £100, 5s; exceeds £100 and does not exceed £200, 10s; exceeds £200 and does not exceed £500, 15s; exceeds £500, £1.

Appointment of a new trustee, and appointment in execution of a power of any property or of any use, share, or interest in any property by any instrument not being a will, £1.

Articles of Association of a company under the Companies Act, £1.

Award—whether under hand only, or under hand and seal—where the amount or value awarded does not exceed £20, 1s; exceeds £20 and does not exceed £50, 2s 6d; exceeds £50 and does not exceed £100, 5s; exceeds £100 and does not exceed £200, 10s; exceeds £200 and does not exceed £500, £1; exceeds £500 and does not exceed £1000, £1 10s; exceeds £1000 and does not exceed 5s per £100 or part thereof.

Bond for administration of estate of deceased person, 10s.

Certificate of incorporation of a company, £5.

Conveyance by way of exchange, same duty as on conveyance by way of sale on value of property exchanged, and any money passing to equalise the dealing.

Conveyance of any property by the official assignee to a mortgagee, same duty as conveyance on sale on the amount at which the security has been valued.

Declaration made in New South Wales under colonial or foreign marine policy, 3d for every £100 and fractional part of £100 insured.

Fire policies and renewal receipts, 4d for every £100 and fractional part of £100 insured.

Foreclosure order.—The same duty as on a conveyance on sale. The duty to be calculated on the amount (including costs) in respect of which the order is made.

Letter of allotment and letter of renunciation or other document having the effect of a letter of allotment of any share of any company or proposed company, 3d.

Letter or power of attorney (not being a proxy form only), £1.

Notarial act of any kind whatsoever (except a protest of or noting a bill of exchange or promissory note), 2s 6d.

Noting bill of exchange or promissory note, 1s.

Passenger ticket given or issued in the colony by or on behalf of any steamship company, association, or owner of any steamship, in return for the payment of a sum of money amounting to £2 or upwards unless a stamped receipt is given in respect of such payment and at the time thereof, 2d.

Policy of life insurance.—Where the sum insured exceeds £50 but does not exceed £200, 1s; exceeds £200 but does not exceed £500, 5s; exceeds £500 but does not exceed £1000, 10s; exceeds £1000, for every full sum of £1000 and also for any fractional part of £1000 of the amount insured, £1.

Proxy form or other instrument not under seal.—For the sole purpose of appointing or authorising a proxy to vote at any one meeting at which votes may be given by proxy whether the number of persons named in such instrument be one or more, 3d.

Scrip certificate.—Scrip or other document entitling any person to become the proprietor of any share in any company or proposed company, 3d.

Settlement, deed of gift, or voluntary conveyance of any property.—Same duty as conveyance on sale, the duty to be calculated on the value of the property passing.

It is proposed that these new stamp and probate duties shall come into force on December 1, 1897, that is to say, at the end of the present month.

NAMING TREES, &c.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Following on the lines of your valuable article in to-day's "Herald" re making plain to visitants the proper names of trees, plants, &c., in our various beautiful gardens, as also the legibly-printed names of scenes and artists in our art galleries, will you allow me to add to them this one suggestion? The Government have allowed us the use of a large and valuable collection of books in the Free Public Library, but to get them involves (in summer weather, at any rate) an exhausting process, both to those who have to wade through a large number of catalogues—never feeling sure they have seen them all—and to those of the attendants also who have to endure the vitiated atmosphere of unnecessarily crowded rooms whilst this tedious process is proceeding. A comparatively small and cheap book could easily contain all the names, and greatly facilitate the business, whilst if it could be purchased for a small sum many would make use of their own catalogues.

I am, &c., J. B. MOXHAM.

Attempted Theft.—Yesterday, at the Balmain Police Court, over which Mr. G. W. F. Addison, S.M., presided, a young man named John Barker was proceeded against as being a reputed thief and frequenting Yeend-street wharf, Snails Bay, with intent to commit a felony—to wit, stealing—on November 2. Alfred R. Clarke, a small lad, stated that he saw the accused under the ferry wharf about half-past 1 o'clock on the afternoon mentioned. He saw him attempting to put his hand into a lady's pocket through the holes that were made in the seat. After taking his hands out of the lady's pocket he crawled away on his hands and knees and decamped into a hole. Mr. Addison spoke in the strongest terms of reprobation of the accused. The one who picked a person's pocket in the street was a man in comparison with the accused. The accused was ordered to be imprisoned with hard labour for six months.

FRY'S MALTED COCOA.—"Strongest and best."—Health.—Advt.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—November 5.

Peregrine, s., 1660 tons, Captain J. Pain, from Brisbane and Northern ports. Passengers—Mesdames W. H. Smith, Olsen and child, Gillan, Nelson and child, Nesbit, J. Buckley, Misses K. G. Magrath, Malcolm, M'Elroy, Messrs. W. H. Smith, E. Houston, J. Graham, Gillan, Stanley, A. Harvey, J. Tolson, F. Tolson, J. Smith, Bryce, H. Lovedale, A. R. Goon, and 57 in the steerage. Wm. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Tyrian, s., 1455 tons, Captain J. D. Joy, from Melbourne. Passengers—Mesdames H. Flannery, H. R. Jones, J. Gilchrist, A. Magill, G. Cann, J. King, W. J. Dixon, F. Sparrow, R. Parkes, F. Cullen, F. Muir, Misses A. Nicholson, D. Sparrow, G. Parkes, R. Jones, D. Jones, C. Marr, E. Sheriff, Revs. H. Henry, P. A. Slattery, Sheehy, Dr. C. Wright, Captain Dent, Messrs. J. Gilchrist, W. J. Dixon, J. King, D. Austin, J. W. Perkins, C. Silverton, H. Taylor, J. C. M'Mahon, T. W. Sheriff, H. R. Jones, E. J. Parker, H. M. Musson, J. Hansen, J. Pearson, P. Stewart, B. Markwick, N. Tippett, T. M'Pherson, J. W. Ralph, A. Shaw, N. E. Mortensen, A. Hardy, E. Warry, W. Duncan, T. Cann, A. Gerrard, J. Marshall, P. K. Conroy, C. D. Ferguson, S. Stott, M. J. Fitzpatrick, W. E. Day, L. Williams, T. Middleton, J. Simpson, J. Barrass, E. Barrass, J. Searle, A. Barrington, P. Connell, Masters J. Stewart and B. Jones, and 55 in the steerage. William Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Namoi, s., 1414 tons, Captain Skinner, from Newcastle. Newcastle and Hunter River S.S. Company, agents.

Oakland, s., 398 tons, Captain B. Alley, from Richmond River. Passengers—Mesdames Butler and Shaw, Misses Butler and Boyd, Mr. Edmunds, and 3 in the steerage. W. T. Yeager, agent.

Electra, s., 395 tons, Captain Edward Farrell, from Richmond River November 3. Passengers—Mesdames Dunn and 2 children, Sanbrook. Messrs. Brown, R. L. Levy, Langley, W. C. Street, and 10 in the steerage. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Wyoming, s., 258 tons, Captain Baillie, from Richmond River. W. T. Yeager, agent.

Koonya, s., 84 tons, Captain T. Nicholson, from Moruya and ports. J. Aubin, agent.

Friendship, s., from Tweed River and Byron Bay. B. M. Corrigan and Co., agents.

Birksgate, s., 1468 tons, Captain C. E. Saunders, from Fiji and New Hebrides October 30. Passengers—Miss Curnow, Mr. Leslie Curnow, Mons. Chevillard, Masters Chevillard (2), Mr. Martelli, Mr. R. Peterson Stuart. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Warrego, s., 1551 tons, Captain W. R. Fleetwood, from Burketown and ports. Passengers—Messrs. H. Musgrave, Munroe, Peebles, Reid, Mackell, Blackmore, Kalk, Carmichael, Woodland, Mesdames Doyle and child, M'Leod, Powecy, Jeffs, Misses Varley, M'Leod, Watson, and 4 in the steerage. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

November 6.

Cloncurry, s., 2579 tons, Captain Strom, from Western Australia, via ports. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

DEPARTURES.—November 5.

Port Elliott, s., for Dunkirk, London, and Antwerp, via ports.
Firth of Dornoch, barque, for Valparaiso, via Newcastle.
Argus, ship, for London, via Newcastle.
Benares, four-masted barque, for San Francisco, via Newcastle.
Oonah, s., for Newcastle.
Gabo, s., for Fremantle, via ports.
Elingamite, s., for Melbourne.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—November 6.

Wakatipu, s., for Wellington, Lyttelton, Dunedin, and Bluff; Eurimbla, s., for Rockhampton, via ports; Tyrian, s., for Cairns, via ports; Peregrine, s., for Melbourne; Kallatina, s., for Clarence River; Augusta, s., for Tweed River; Newcastle, s., for Newcastle.

CLEARANCES.—November 5.

Firth of Dornoch, barque, 980 tons, Captain P. Nicol, for Valparaiso, via Newcastle.

Oonah, s., 1767 tons, Captain W. J. Featherstone, for Newcastle with part original cargo.

Argus, ship, 1543 tons, Captain C. Green, for London, via Newcastle. Passenger—Mrs. Green.

Benares, four-masted barque, 1646 tons, Captain E. James, for San Francisco via Newcastle.

Gabo, s., 2070 tons, Captain Alfred Easton, for Melbourne, Adelaide, Albany, Bunbury, Fremantle, and Geraldton. Passengers—Mrs. Fox and child, Mr. and Mrs. Carter, Mr. W. Hopkins, Miss R. Hopkins, Miss M. Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy, Mrs. Dalton and 2 children, Mr. A. H. Hatch, Mr. H. M'Leod, Mr. Arthur James Vogan, Mr. W. Semple, also 35 in the second cabin.

Eurimbla, s., 1055 tons, Captain James Watt, for Rockhampton, via ports. Passengers—Mrs. Forbes, Mrs. Page, Miss M. Young, Miss Vaughan, Miss Brown, Miss Jardine, Miss White, Miss Ascoli, Miss Adams, Miss Birgin, Miss Cassilis, Miss Mortyne, Miss Raymond, Miss Lucy, Miss Mitchell, Miss Ready, Miss Cubit, Miss Meyers, Miss Herrick, Miss Murat, Miss Russell, Miss Sainton, Miss Ferris, Miss Gates, Miss Parr, Messrs. Fernside, Stafford, Phillips, Heffermann, Gates, Glenville, Campbell, Frasco, Stewart, Hill, Glassford, Grant, Athelwood, Herron, Middleton, Costello, M'Donald, Oliver, Griffiths, Gratmer, Lestro, Williams, Mervale, R. Royle, Hawtrey, Carvill, Fernside, and 15 in the steerage.

Elingamite, s., 2585 tons, Captain A. Thorpe, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Farleigh, Mrs. J. H. Moore, Mrs. Donaldson, Mrs. Girdlestone, Mrs. Gosbell and infant, Mrs. Evans and child, Mrs. Gough, Miss Douglas, Miss E. Russell, Miss Maffey, Miss Goram, Miss Moorehouse, Miss Gosbell, Miss Prendergast, Miss Thomson, Messrs. C. English, J. Hocking, jun., J. H. Moore, Donaldson, Charles Bussel, J. N. Sherlock, H. J. Kerr, C. Nash, G. Killen, J. Dick, J. Hinds, A. P. Stewart, Farleigh, W. S. Hall, A. Gosbell, and 20 in the steerage.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—November 5.

Hally Bayley, schooner, Captain J. Billick, for Newcastle; Peterborough, s., Captain W. Wilson, for Shellharbour.

IMPORTS.—November 5.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

Peregrine, s., from Brisbane and Northern ports: 1506 bunches bananas, 402 bales wool, 16 gluepieces, 47 bales axine, 93 bundles s. pine, 19 casks tallow, 108 lengths pipes, 1 piano, 3200 bags sugar, 131 bags h orns, 21 bags oysters, 157 bags ore, 285 cases meats, 497 cases fruit, 502 hides, and 8bxs. gold.

Tyrian, s., from Melbourne: 944 bags chaff, 80 cases cordials, 14 cases gooseberries, 70 packets tea, 40 bags bark, 20 cases milk, 10 cases claret, 32 bags peas, 75 cases tiles, 120 packages twine, 92 bars iron, a quantity of sundries, and through cargo for Queensland ports.

Electra, s., from Richmond River: 1064 sacks sugar, 256 bags sugar, 7 bags oysters, 8 bags beans, 29 bags potatoes, 60 bunches bananas, 4 cases bacon, 94 cases eggs, 24 cases vegetables, 2 cases fish, 5 coops poultry, 22 hides, 9230ft. boxwood, 400 boxes butter, 1850ft. sawn timber, 12 pigs, and sundries.

Birksgate, s., from Noumea, Fiji, and New Hebrides: 6370 bunches bananas, 4384 bags chrome ore, 1751 bags copra, 76 bags peanuts, 72 bags cocoanuts, 69 bags maize, 8 bags coffee, 8 bags beche-de-mer, 15 packages sundries.

EXPORTS. November 5.

Benares, barque, for San Francisco, via Newcastle: 395 tons coal.

Firth of Dornoch, barque, for Valparaiso, via Newcastle: 200 tons coal, 100 cases pickles, and part original cargo.

Argus, ship, for London, via Newcastle: 7398 bags concentrates.

Elingamite, s., for Melbourne: 20 tons coke, 13 bags glass, 1400 tons coal, 4 bales bags, 30 casks shale waste, 50 cases blue, 5 cases colour, 4 cases boots and shoes, 5 bales wallpaper, 1876 cases fruit, 6 cases drapery, 3 cases machinery, 231 ingots copper, 6 cases marble, 10 cases oil, 6 crates potash, 180 hides, 4 bags sago, 15 chests tea, 58 bags glass, 25 boxes candles, 702 bales wool, 5 cases furniture, 2 cases desks, and 64 packages merchandise and sundries.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

BRISBANE.—Arrivals: November 4, Franklin, s., from Sydney. November 5, Ranelagh, s., Rob Roy, s., from Rockhampton. Departures: November 5, Aramac, s., Burwah, s., for Sydney; Kooonwarra, s., for Rockhampton; Croydon, s., for Gladstone, via ports. The Guthrie, s., from Japan to Sydney, via ports, called in and discharged a quantity of cargo at Moreton Bay this morning.

ROCKHAMPTON.—Departure: November 5, Fitzroy, s., for Brisbane.

TOWNSVILLE.—Arrivals: November 5, Leura, s., Tagliaferro, s., from Brisbane; Yamashiro Maru, s., from Japan. Departures: November 5, Sagitta, schooner, and Yamashiro Maru, s., for Sydney.

CAIRNS.—Departure: November 5, Barrabool, s., for Sydney, via Townsville.

COOKTOWN.—Arrival: November 5, Arawatta, s., from Brisbane, via ports.

YAMBA.—Departures: November 5, Fernmount, s., for Richmond River; a steamer towing a punt passed north.

NEWCASTLE.—Arrivals: November 5, Cadogan, barque, from Algoa Bay; Newcastle, s., Lubra, s., Western, s., Pukaki, s., Emu, s., Menmuir, s., Tekapo, s., Oonah, s., Drumlanrig, ship, Prospero, brig, Countess of Errol, schooner, Hannah Nicholson, schooner, from Sydney; Beechholm, barque from Table Bay. Departures: November 5, British General, ship, for Antofagasta, with 2647 tons coal; Tilly May, s., for the Manning River; Phoebe, s., Western, s., Sophia Ann, s., Lubra, s., Newcastle, s., for Sydney; Emu, s., for Kingston, via Sydney, with 310 tons coal.

GABO ISLAND.—Passed: November 5, Rockton, s., at 11.15 a.m., west. Arrived during night, Lightning, cutter, from Cunningham.

MELBOURNE.—Arrivals: November 5, Valetta, R.M.S., from London; Time, s., from Adelaide; Cintra, s., from Sydney; Australien, s., from Sydney; Glenturret, s., from Sydney; New Guinea, s., from Newcastle; Loch Katrine, ship, from Glasgow; Prinz-Regent Luitpold, R.M.S., from Sydney; Coogee, s., from Launceston; Grafton, s., from Strahan. Departures: November 5, Clitus, s., for Calcutta; Time, s., for Sydney, via Geelong; Wanganui, s., for Port Pirie; Aberdeen, s., for London.

CAPE OTWAY.—Passed: November 5, Tamar, ship, at 12.40 p.m., east.

(FROM THE BOARD AT THE TELEGRAPH OFFICE.)

TWEED HEADS.—Departures: November 5, Wollumbin, s., at 5.55 a.m., for Sydney; Alfred Fenning, ketch, at 4.35 p.m.

BYRON BAY.—Arrival: November 5, Wollumbin, s., at noon. Departure: November 5, Wollumbin, s., at 2 p.m.

RICHMOND HEADS.—Passed: November 5, Elamang, s., with punt in tow, at 4.20 p.m., north.

CLARENCE HEADS.—Departure: November 5, Fernmount, s., at 1.15 p.m.

BELLINGER HEADS.—Departure: November 5, Rosedale, s., at 5 a.m., for Sydney.

NAMBUCCA HEADS.—Departures: November 5, Lucretia, schooner, at 4.45 a.m., for Sydney; Eureka, s., at 6.15 a.m., for Port Macquarie.

MACLEAY HEADS.—Departure: November 5, Zelma, at 4.30 p.m., Burrawong, s., at 5.15 p.m.

COFF'S HARBOUR.—Arrival: November 5, Excelsior, s., at 7 a.m., from Sydney. Departures: November 5, Excelsior, s., at 2.50 p.m., bound north.

PORT MACQUARIE.—Arrival: November 5, Rosedale, s., at 4.30 p.m., from Bellinger River. Departure: November 5, Sir George, schooner, at 6.20 a.m., for Sydney; Rosedale, s., at 6.15 p.m., for Sydney. Passed: November 5, a large three-masted steamer at 4.20 p.m., south.

TACKING POINT.—Passed: November 5, a large three-masted steamer at 4.20 p.m., one of Anchor line steamers at 4.20 p.m., north.

CAMDEN HAVEN.—Departure: November 5, Defender, ketch, at 5.30 a.m., Australia, schooner, at 4 p.m., Louisa Mussel, schooner, at 4.30 p.m., for Sydney.

MANNING HEADS.—Arrival: November 5, Coraki, s., at 5 a.m., from Sydney.

CAPE HAWKE.—Arrival: November 5, Active, ketch, at 4 p.m., Forest Queen, ketch, at 4.30 p.m. Departure: November 4, Coral, ketch, at 4 p.m., Shannon, schooner, at 5 p.m.

SEAL ROCKS.—Passed: November 5, Warrego, s., at 7.40 a.m., south; Augusta at 6 p.m., south.

PORT STEPHENS.—Arrivals: November 5, Rebecca, ketch, anchored in Nelson's Bay, windbound; Tilly May, s., arrived in Nelson's Bay at 11 a.m. Departures: November 5, Forest Queen, ketch, and Active, ketch, left Nelson's Bay at 8.10 a.m. Passed: November 5, Willinga, schooner, and Rosalie, schooner, at 10.15 a.m., north; steamer, flying HVPC, at 10.15 a.m., south; a topsail schooner at 6 p.m., south; Express, s., at 7 p.m., north.

LAKE MACQUARIE.—Departure: November 5, Edith May, ketch, at 8 a.m., for Sydney.

CATHERINE HILL BAY.—Departure: November 5, Merksworth, s., at 8 a.m., for Sydney.

BARRANJOEY.—Arrivals: November 5, Ione, yacht, at 10.40 a.m., Boy, lugger, at 10.45 a.m., Marion, ketch, at 5 p.m., from Sydney. Departure: November 5, Wyong, s., at 5 p.m., for Sydney.

BELLAMBI.—Arrival: November 5, Egmont, s., at 8 a.m., from Sydney.

WOLLONGONG.—Arrivals: November 5, Kurrara, s., at 6.30 a.m., Loch Lee, schooner, at 7 a.m., and Palmerston, s., at 7.30 a.m., all from Sydney. Departures: November 5, Kurrara, s., at 1 p.m., for Sydney; Bega, s., at 5 p.m., for Ulladulla.

PORT KEMBLA.—Departure: November 5, Handa Isle at 7.45 p.m., for Auckland.

JERVIS BAY.—Passed: November 5, Koonya at 1.30 p.m., north; Glaucus at 5.45 p.m., south.

MORUYA.—Arrival: November 5, Murray, s., at 9.40 a.m., off bar. Passed: November 5, Cloncurry, s., at 2 p.m., north.

GREEN CAPE.—Passed: November 5, Cloncurry, s., at 6.15 a.m., north; a steamer with black funnel, red and white bands, at 11.15 a.m., north.

GABO ISLAND.—Arrival: November 5, Lightning, cutter, during night, from Cunningham. Passed: November 5, Rockton, s., at 11.15 a.m., north.

WILSON'S PROMONTORY.—Passed inwards: November 5, Prinz-Regent Luitpold, G.M.S., at 5 a.m. Passed outwards: November 5, Easby, s., at 9.30 a.m.; Ashley, s., at 3.40 p.m.

LOW HEAD (TAS.).—Arrival: November 5, Pateena, s., at 8.35 a.m., from Melbourne.

HOBART.—Departure: November 5, Lindus, at 8.15 p.m., for Adelaide.

ALBANY (W.A.).—Arrival: November 4, Austral, R.M.S., at 8 p.m., from Colombo. Departures: November 4, Ville de la Ciotat, F.M.S., at 8 p.m., for Adelaide; Narrung, s., for London, via Capetown. November 5, Kirklands, s., for Port Kembla; Austral, R.M.S., at 10 a.m., for Adelaide.

CAPE BORDA.—Passed: November 5, Flensburg, at 3.30 p.m., inward.

FREMANTLE (W.A.).—Departure: November 4, Wollowra, s., at 8.5 p.m., for East, via Albany.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

LONDON, Friday.

Arrivals: Hyon, barque, from Brisbane, sailed July 15; Indraghiri, s., from Auckland August 29, via ports and Lyttelton September 18.

Departures: Cambrian Queen, barque, for Melbourne from Hamburg; Gulf of Mexico, s., from Liverpool for Melbourne, Adelaide, and Sydney; Dom, barque, for Adelaide.

(For Continuation of Shipping see Page 10.)

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS

Observatory, Friday.

Average annual rainfall for 38 years, 49·852.
Average for 39 years from January 1 to October 31, 43·812.
Total rainfall from January 1, 1897, to November 5, 36·810.
Sydney standard barometer at 9 a.m. to-day, 29·766.
Temperature.—Maximum, 85·3; minimum, 59·7.
Humidity.—9 a.m., 44°; 3 p.m., 38°.

BAROMETERS AT 9 A.M.

Carnarvon, 29·91; Gascoigne, 29·94; Eucla, 30·04; Streaky Bay, 30·07; Adelaide, 30·09; Robe, 29·97; Portland, 29·89; Melbourne, 29·89; Wilson's Promontory, 29·75; Gabo Island, 29·62; Cape St. George, 29·65; Sydney, 29·77; Newcastle, 29·78; Port Macquarie, 29·81; Clarence Heads, 29·87; Brisbane, 29·92; Rockhampton, 30·01; Mackay, 30·01; Cooktown, 30·02.

SYNOPSIS AT 9 A.M. BY MR. H. C. RUSSELL, GOVERNMENT ASTRONOMER.

New South Wales.—Cloudy generally in the south; in other parts fine and clear.
Victoria and Straits.—Cloudy generally.
Western Australia.—Cloudy to showery in the north-west and south-west, fine elsewhere.
South Australia.—Fine and clear in the far north and north-east; otherwise fine but cloudy.
Tasmania.—Cloudy to showery.
Queensland.—Generally fine and clear.
Central and Northern Australia.—Fine and hot throughout.
New Zealand.—Fine generally.

RAIN HAS FALLEN IN THE PREVIOUS 24 HOURS TO 9 A.M.

Victoria.—Light and scattered. Melbourne, 0·02; Portland, 0·08; Wilson's Promontory, 0·23.
Tasmania.—Light to heavy.
Western Australia.—Very light in the extreme south.
South Australia.—Adelaide, 0·06; Guichen Bay, 0·05; M'Donnell Bay, 0·04.

COASTAL REPORTS AT 8 P.M.

Tweed Heads, N.N.W., strong, hazy, sea smooth; Byron Bay, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Ballina, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Clarence Heads, N., light, hazy, sea smooth; Woolgoolga, S.E., light, hazy, sea smooth; Bellinger Heads, S.E., fresh, hazy, sea smooth; Nambucca Heads, S.S.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Macleay Heads, S.E., fresh, hazy, sea smooth; Port Macquarie, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Manning Heads, calm, fine, sea smooth; Seal Rocks, E., light, fine, sea smooth; Port Stephens, E., light, fine, sea smooth; Barranjoey, calm, fine, sea smooth; Catherine Hill Bay, calm, fine, sea smooth; Lake Macquarie Heads, calm, fine, sea smooth; Newcastle, E., light, fine, sea smooth; South Head, E.S.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Wollongong, W., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Kiama, S.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Crookhaven Heads, S., strong, fine, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, E., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Ulladulla, calm, fine, sea smooth; Bateman's Bay, S.E., light, overcast, sea moderate; Moruya, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Eden, S.W., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Green Cape, S.W., fresh, fine, sea moderate; Gabo Island, S.W., moderate gale, squally, sea rough.

FORECASTS AT 9 P.M.

New South Wales.—Fine warm weather; winds chiefly from S. inland, N.E. on the coast. No rain in sight except light showers at Albany.—H. C. Russell.

South Australia.—Fine weather, some cloud in the south; winds moderate to light, S.W. and S., tending S.E. and E.—C. Todd.

Victoria.—Fine generally except for a few scattered showers on coast; light W. and S.W. winds; sea rough but moderating.—P. Baracchi.

SPECIAL FORECAST OF AUSTRALASIAN WEATHER, BY MR. CLEMENT L. WRAGGE—FOR THREE DAYS.

New South Wales.—Fine over the greater part of the country, with signs of cloud; increased temperature generally; strong winds and rain in the south-east; rough seas south from Sydney and towards New Zealand under the influence of the antarctic depression "Festus." The monsoonal depression "Vanish" will likely cause thunderstorms in the interior, and travel eastward in turn before Monday afternoon.

Western Australia.—Isolated showers in the south-west and along the southern border; rough seas between Albany and the Great Bight.

Northern Territory.—Fine and hot over this portion, but electric disturbances are expected before Monday, especially in the far north.

South Australia.—Cloudy to rainy in the south-east; fair with signs of cloud elsewhere.

Queensland.—Electric disturbances at scattered stations in the far interior and north-west; such in turn will affect the eastern districts; sea moderate; great heat in many parts of the country.

Victoria and Tasmania.—Further rain and squalls over these colonies; rough sea in places, especially to the eastward of Tasmania, under the influence of "Festus."

New Zealand.—No data to hand, but we expect further rainy conditions.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR NOVEMBER 6.

Sun rises at 4.51 a.m., sets at 6.27 p.m.; Moon, 3.46 p.m., 2.31 a.m.; Mercury, 4.50 a.m., 6.19 p.m.; Venus, 3.49 a.m., 4.26 p.m.; Mars, 5.7 a.m., 6.48 p.m.; Jupiter, 3.1 a.m., 3.3 p.m.; Saturn, 5.56 a.m., 7.44 p.m.
New moon, 24th; full moon, 9th.
High water at Fort Denison, 6.5 a.m., 6.25 p.m.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

South Australia, Victoria, Queensland } Overland, 9.30 p.m.
Noumea.—St. Louis, 10 a.m.
Montague Island.—Koonya, 11 a.m.
Wellington, &c., N.Z. (direct).—Wakatipu, noon.
Brisbane.—Tyrian, 1 p.m.
Clarence River.—Kallatina, 8 p.m.
Valparaiso, via Newcastle.—M. E. Watson, 9 p.m.
Strahan, Zeehan, and West Coast of Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Meeinderry, 9.30 p.m.
Launceston and Hobart, via Melbourne.—Coogee, 9.30 p.m.

MONDAY.

Port Macquarie and Nambucca River.—Rosedale, 8 a.m.
Manning River.—Coraki, 10 a.m.
Eden.—Bega, 11 a.m.
Honolulu, Canada, United States of America, United Kingdom, and Continent of Europe.—C.-A. s.s. Aorangi, 2 p.m.
Wellington, &c., N.Z., and Fiji.—C.-A. s.s. Aorangi, 3 p.m.
Hobart and Launceston.—Oonah, 4 p.m.
United Kingdom, Continent of Europe, India, and Mauritius.—Overland to Adelaide, and thence per Oruba, 4.30 p.m.
R.M.S. Oruba (letters addressed to persons on board).—Overland to Adelaide, 4.30 p.m.
Western Australia, via Adelaide.—Oruba, 5.30 p.m.
Macleay River.—Burrawong, 9 p.m.

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The Sydney Morning Herald.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1897.

At 3.30 a.m. yesterday the financial debate in the Legislative Assembly was brought to a close, the formal motion upon which the debate took place being agreed to on the voices.

Before the Assembly rose the Premier introduced a bill to increase the stamp duties and the death dues. The bill was read the first time.

No success has attended the efforts made to revive the Lucknow strike.

At the Water Police Court yesterday Harry E. Picker, alias the "Earl of Hardwicke," was committed for trial on a charge of false pretences. Bail was allowed.

Yesterday afternoon the Minister for Education opened the new Public school at Drummoyne.

A Unionist demonstration has been held at Norwich (England). Mr. A. J. Balfour delivered a speech, in which he referred to the Education Act, the European situation, the rising on the Indian frontier, and Lord Rosebery's utterances on Imperial federation.

The native trouble in the Taranaki district, New Zealand, is extending. Several Maoris have been arrested for ploughing on stations occupied by Europeans.

It is expected that half a million Americans will rush to the Yukon goldfields early in the spring.

Reports from Lagos, West Africa, state that the French have expelled many sympathisers with the Royal Niger Company from Boussa. The natives are appealing to the Royal Niger Company to reinstate them in their homes.

Among the acceptors for the Liverpool (England) Autumn Cup is the Australian racehorse Merman, owned by "Mr. Jersey" (Mrs. Langtry). The race takes place on November 12.

The Usumbara railway in German East Africa has proved a failure.

Since the outbreak of typhoid at Maidstone, in England, 1800 cases have occurred, and 125 have ended fatally.

Owing to the danger of rinderpest, the importation into New Zealand of stock from Java and the adjacent islands has been prohibited.

On the 26th instant the outward bound steamers of the Orient line will begin calling at Marseilles. The first homeward-bound steamer will call at the French port on December 13.

A 5ft. lode of copper has been discovered at Conjola Creek, about five miles from Milton. A parcel assayed at the Lake Illawarra Smelting Works gave 28 per cent. copper.

On the Sydney Cricket Ground track yesterday Platt-Betts reduced his former mile record of Australasia from 1 minute 45 seconds to 1 minute 40 seconds.

The railway from Mafeking to Bulawayo, the capital of Matabeleland, was formally opened on Thursday by Sir Alfred Milner, Governor of Cape Colony and High Commissioner for South Africa.

The directors of the Union Steamship Company recommend the payment of a dividend of 2½ per cent. for the half-year, and of a bonus of 1 per cent. from the insurance fund.

It is understood that the Employers' Federation of England is willing to discuss the question of a reduction in the hours of labour with the representatives of the engineers, on condition that the lockout be enforced until a final settlement has been arrived at.

By a majority of one vote the Transvaal Volksraad has referred the question of the reduction of the dynamite duties to the legal advisers of the Government.

The Court of Appeal in England has upheld the judgment directing the London and Globe Finance Corporation to pay to Mr. W. R. Wilson £48,750 for neglecting to allot him 7500 shares in the Lake View Consols.

The R.M.S. Austral arrived at Albany at 8 p.m. on Thursday, and left for Adelaide at 10 a.m. yesterday.

The M.M.S. Ville de la Ciotat left Albany for Adelaide at 8 p.m. on Thursday.

The mails by both of these vessels are expected to reach Sydney in time for delivery on Wednesday.

Although business in the Stock and Share market continues sluggish, any small lots of investment stock offering are taken freely at full quotations.

More wholesale business was transacted in the Import market yesterday than has been the case for some little time past.

At Darling Harbour yesterday 5556 bales of wool were manifested. 2466 arrived coastwise, and 1234 bales arrived at Newcastle by rail.

A fair business was done in the Mining market yesterday, most of the Western Australian gold stocks showing an improvement.

The customs revenue collected at Sydney yesterday amounted to £5987.

"The apparel oft proclaims the man," says worldly-wise old Polonius in the play, and it accords with the fitness of things that modern criticism as expressed in a London trade journal should bring the remark up to date by coercing it to read, "The dress makes the Premier." The point of view is responsible for not a few whimsical perversions even of the gravest texts, but surely the prettiest thing extant in this way is the quaint judgment just pronounced on the frock coats and etceteras of those oversea lords of Greater Britain who represented their tetrachates and satrapies at the Jubilee. Politicians may contend, if they will, about Imperial treaties and the unity of the Empire, the respective successes of the Premiers may be assessed by other judicious critics from the speeches they have made, and there may still remain some who are inclined, like Lord Hampden, to credit Mr. Reid with having left an effective impression by the directness with which he voiced Australian aspirations. It was thought that Sir Wilfrid Laurier scored a sort of triumph by his silver-tongued oratory and his modest little *coup* over the commercial treaties. But it has been left for the organ named to discover a new point of view, with a standard of judgment which is novel as well as old, though in the circumstances it must be consolatory to the wounded feelings of other critics to know that the conclusions arrived at are left much the same as they stood before. The sartorial critic has undermined no reputations; on the contrary, he has placed them on a new and presumably securer basis. No man is a hero to his tailor or to his valet, and when one or other of those has pronounced his incorruptible judgment it stands unaffected by the shifting contingencies of time.

The sartorial criticism is as candid as it is unaffected. It closes the eyes completely to any consideration but one, and the immortal spirit and bodily vesture of decay of the victim only interest it as a by-incident and stalking-horse for its material. Sir Wilfrid Laurier's friends may presume to flatter themselves that he carried off the honours of the gathering by his speeches or his diplomacy. The "Tailor and Cutter" knows better, and uncompromisingly says so. He was the best-dressed man of the colonial visitors to the Jubilee, and the critic waxes eloquent concerning the Vicuna frock-coat, with the silk-faced lapels and three twist buttons that gave it brightness, and those poem-like light continuations that "added style to the coat and showed it off to advantage." Your mere recruiting-sergeant, had he come on Sir Wilfrid in the vicinity of St. Martin's-in-the-Fields where these worthies lay their lures, might have contemned the physical proportions that only gave him thirty-eight round the chest, with "just a little tendency to stoutness at the waist." But this critic brushes all that airily away with the sufficing remark, "A glance at him sufficed to show that he paid attention to his dress." After this it soothes our local vanity to be told that our Mr. Reid impressed this observant person as being a man "who evidently consults a master in the art of tailoring as to the best means of dressing becomingly." The Opposition, embittered by recent defeat, may be sardonically pleased to find some occult political satire in the passage which tells us how the silk facings of his coat-lapels were put on in excellent style. But it is always open for the other side of the House to retort in the cryptic words of the "Tailor and Cutter," that the fronts, though in true D.B. style—politically applied, that "D.B." may certainly require explanation—are yet shrewdly cut "so as to avoid any excess of material flying to and fro in front," which may surely be taken as emblematical of the Premier's economy in administration. "Taken as a whole"—which is rather a job-lot way of grouping the distinguished visitors, it may be sympathetically suggested to this critic—"they are a smart-dressing lot of men" the paper goes on to say, and before leaving this exciting subject it points a much-needed moral for our comfort in the remark that the man who is slovenly in his dress is seldom different in other matters.

This intelligent observer, whose lucubrations have already shot a thrill through two hemispheres, could hardly have had the satire of Diogenes Teufelsdrockh before his eyes, or if he had he courageously defied it. But we can imagine how it would have delighted the acrid soul of the seer of Chelsea to find the philosophy of his "Sartor Resartus" so literally applied. It is the tailor that makes the man, and if we want an illustration of it we have only to imagine the honest scorn with which so indifferent a dresser as Mr. Gladstone, if he happened to be an Australian politician, would have been withered by public opinion had he wandered away to the Jubilee festivities without the protecting care of his wife. As it is, there are more things in this crude philosophy of the "Tailor and Cutter" than may be dreamed of. Did not Sir J. Gordon Sprigg, for instance, fall under the ban of its polite censure for his inartistic frock-coat, and trousers too large below the knee, that failed to sit well over the boot? Yet this particular Premier has the responsibility of succeeding Cecil Rhodes, and perhaps of dealing with some delicate questions. A little more attention to dress would not detract from his influence, his critic says with kind severity, but rather add to it. The inference is of haystack obviousness, though perhaps, for the sake of the safety of one portion of the Empire, it is as well that it is discounted by the fate of Sir William Whiteway in another. He has just been coldly rejected by his Newfoundland constituents, who thus chose to fly in the face of the fact that "a crease down the centre of front"—of this gentleman's trousers, of course, not his Jove-like brow—"was invariably visible, indicating that they were properly folded when not in wear." We can hardly wonder that Sir George Turner wilted as he has described before the gorgeous lackeys whom Mr. Chamberlain courteously sent to dress him, if he had any premonition of criticism of this kind. A certain contempt for the fripperies of dress is all very well, and many a man has degenerated into careless habits before the prospect of being regarded as a fribble. But one cannot very well refer to a Premier who has what the sartorial critic calls "a 44 breast" as a popinjay, and we owe it to ourselves to combat this unreasoning coyness of our public men who do not realise the importance of being smartly dressed. It may even become necessary to appoint Royal Commissions to sit on Premiers and other official persons who may be inclined to visit the mother country in this impracticable frame of mind. Laertes was counselled to wear habits as costly as his purse could buy, and the Duke of Orleans gave his first serious sign as a claimant to the throne of the Bourbons by ordering his clothing from Paris. George IV. prefaced a remarkable reign by inventing a shoe-buckle, and the greatest of our generals did not disdain to become godfather to a fashion in boots. In these days it is only permitted to the millionaire to wear ill-fitting clothes, and no one of less dignity than a noble lord should venture on the experiment of wearing a "shocking bad hat," so that perhaps the candid critic of the "Tailor and Cutter" is a latter-day moralist after all.

If the proper study of mankind is woman, as some irreverent humorist has paraphrased the old aphorism, it must be admitted that he has a fairly complex subject before him. It is one, indeed, compact of complexities, and only a very young or a very rash man would think of describing it as simple. In an article we quoted from the "Spectator" the other day the writer, for example, attempted courageously to defend that extraordinary institution known even to Western civilisation as the modern marriage market, and after making allowances for the difficulties of this particular subject it must be admitted that he succeeded in making out a sufficiently plausible case. There is no marriage market in the commercial sense of the phrase. Discreet matrons do not lead their daughters into society to sell them to the most eligible bidder just as beautiful Georgians used to be sold in the bazaars of Constantinople or Grand Cairo. That is to say, it is shown by the writer referred to that no price is paid to the alleged sellers, and that what is disrespectfully termed a market is nothing more than a conventional and sociable means of bringing young men and maidens in the same rank of life together. We may accept that explanation. Notwithstanding all that humorists and other irresponsible wights may have said or may yet say to the contrary, the situation is susceptible of this easy explanation, and not all the exceptions provided by the "match-making mammas" of the novel or of the stage can establish a rule to the contrary. But a much more pertinent and practical aspect of this matrimonial question has been presented by a writer on the other side of the Atlantic, who writes to the "Contemporary" to set forth her view of the results rather than the causes of marriage, and these as they obtain in the United States under conditions the most favourable to women. The subject is full of interest to those who would exchange the privileges for the rights of women, and to those excellent females of both sexes who advocate womanhood suffrage and all that goes with it as steps towards the emancipation of women.

The writer in this instance points to the American woman as the triumphant product of experimental democracy. Convention and law permit her to evolve on her own lines of moral and spiritual development, her independence has begotten an enormous amount of individuality, and something like four millions of her are independently supporting themselves by their own exertions in the United States to-day. The old-fashioned woman in America and elsewhere—the sort of person usually held up by the advanced female and her male advisers as the "shocking example" of her sex—was content to form family ties, and happy to find her vocation in the home of her husband and children. The modern American woman has changed all that, we are told. "She finds herself a component part of a life that is ever changing, and she changes with it," writes Gertrude Atherton. She is a spoiled child, of the hour or of the minute, able to begin life over again every day in the year if necessary, and in large measure freed from what this writer calls the shackles of conventional religion. Such a revolution as this must, of course, be prolific of results. The home, which is the unit of civilised society, must show signs of its influence, and society itself, which is made up of such units, must be influenced in its turn. The process may go on for a long time before its effects are outwardly manifest; but the leaven is at work for the social observer to trace if he have the time to look for it. Meanwhile the process has been going on in the United States for a sufficiently long time to have produced broad general results, and if we would care to study these they seem to be made apparent enough for the purpose in the records of the American divorce courts. Divorce is no longer a serious thing in the States; it is, like marriage, the property of the comic illustrated papers. Marriage vows seem to be about as sacred as dicers' oaths, and the writer we have referred to quotes a San Francisco paper which, with no thought of humour but as a serious matter of fact, congratulated its readers recently that as against the two thousand odd marriages of the preceding year there had been only 641 divorces!

Is there any direct connection between this divorce rate and the condition of American women as so many writers have described it for us? The writer in this particular instance, like others, finds that there is. "The motive-power of the divorce market is woman," she says; further volunteering the information that 80 per cent. of the actions are brought by women. The facilities are many, and are eagerly availed of. In some States divorce can be obtained on any one of ten or twelve specific grounds, in others on eight or nine, and so on down to five, while New York only recognises one, and South Carolina none at all. But the difference is met by a stretch of that easy adaptability which is characteristic of most State legislation in these matters, for divorces may be secured in the most lax of the States after residence there for a term which varies from three years to one, to six months, or even to ninety or thirty days. One hotelkeeper in a "ninety days" State has a corridor in his hotel called "Divorce Row" for the convenience of the maritally distressed, and the writer in the "Contemporary" speaks with something like sympathy of the state of nervous prostration reached by some of the temporary residents before their decrees are pronounced. But perhaps the most instructive part of these revelations is suggested by the way in which the emancipated conditions of American women re-act on the marriage market. Men begin to perceive that they are entering on a one-sided bargain, and they are learning to apply to the transaction the same common-sense methods that regulate their conduct in business. The American citizen only cares to take chances in business when they appear to be on his own side, and it now seems that on applying the same rule to matrimony he finds that the conditions need adjusting a little, and so, if we may judge of his coming attitude from contemporary American literature, he candidly tries to clear the ground beforehand. He begins by accepting the situation the new American woman has created for him, and looking into the possible future promises merely to be a faithful husband so long as he fulfils that relation, while undertaking not to conceal any change in his feelings. "If at any time I meet a woman whom I feel I should live with rather than with you, I shall tell you of her with perfect frankness," says the ardent wooer of a recent novel. The Oklahama divorce court with its thirty days' residence would probably be called on to do the rest, and the *dénouement* is one that may perhaps be commended to the consideration of those who would improve the lot of Australian women on American lines.

In our columns the Presbyterians have fully defended their Church against the criticisms made by Dr. Bevan upon it. Dr. Bevan has been misled in a fashion that is very common amongst travellers who only pay a hurried visit to a country. He seems to have accepted the statements made to him by a few friends, to have heard nothing on the other side, and to have had no time to inquire for himself whether Presbyterianism was becoming in any way ritualist. The public of Australia are accustomed to one-sided and superficial descriptions of their country. One of the most famous authors who visited the colonies was certainly Froude, and every opportunity was given to him to see the country, the settlements, the mode of living, the political movements, and the working of the community. Yet it was said, and with much truth, that he only saw Australia from the windows of special railway carriages. When a man makes a long visit to a foreign country and mixes with the people and reads their newspapers and attends their public meetings, then his opinions are worthy of respect, even if he makes occasional mistakes. Very few men of this class, however, are anxious to write books. Then the explorer, who has opened up a new country by his tact in dealing with the natives and his skill with the rifle, is able to give an excellent account of the ground over which he has hacked and hewed his way amongst the jungle. But the casual visitor who can only afford to spend one night in a town always makes himself known to the public. In a six months' trip round the world he would cheerfully undertake to write chapters upon the political position of Canada and the United States and Australia. We are very far from insinuating that Dr. Bevan belongs to this class. On the contrary, his career, his sermons and addresses, prove the very opposite; and if he has made one slip by speaking on hearsay it counts for nothing in view of the work that he has done in Australia.

It is possible that there are many devout people in Scotland who bewail the changes that have taken place in the Presbyterian service, and who, because of their very devotion, exaggerate the meaning of the alterations that have been made. The time was when the service was deliberately bereft of every advantage that music or any other of the arts could give to it. There were churches in which the singing of hymns was forbidden, because they were considered to be merely of "human invention." Not so many years ago it was difficult to form a choir in some places, because the more conservative party in the congregation objected to it. Organs and musical instruments were an abomination. In fact, a number of the peasantry and their spiritual leaders probably believed that the use of a musical instrument was in some way the introduction of Popery or Prelacy, or some other terrible evil. Then the services, barren as they were of artistic interest, were prolonged. The prayers were lengthy, the sermons were lengthy, and often the service occupied about three hours. This, of course, was bound to come to an end. It was not a system that could endure for ever. The wider education of the people meant both logically and practically that the service would have to undergo a change. But, while there has been a large improvement in the ceremonial part of worship, there has been no special tendency towards ritualism. The St. Giles' Church in Edinburgh, to which reference has been made, is a restoration of the old Cathedral, and an effort has been made to give to it some of the ceremony and effect of a cathedral. This is by no means ritualism. A liturgy has been issued, the use of which is altogether voluntary; but the question of a liturgy is old in Presbyterian history. It is unnecessary, however, to refer to details. Were the ceremonies gorgeous, instead of being a mere rational improvement on a past system, they would not prove that there was any leaning towards ritualism.

It must be remembered that ritualism implies a whole series of doctrines, which begin with the theory that there is a vicarious priesthood. Were it merely a matter of Church ceremonies it would attract but little attention. Its strength and its weakness both lie in the sacerdotal dogmas which its leaders teach and preach. There is not yet any sign that Scottish Presbyterians are accepting this in preference to their own creed; but should the change occur it would certainly be of the greatest interest, because it would happen behind the backs of the recognised leaders of the Church. The tendency in Scotland has been in a different direction. A long time ago one of the Presbyterian denominations expelled from its membership Professor Robertson Smith, who was one of the best of Oriental scholars, because he criticised the text of the Bible too freely, and from that time onwards the tendency has been towards the critical and philosophical discussion of religious matters. No one, for example, would say that men like Principal Caird, or Professor Flint, or any of the men who have had the care of training students, would ever dream of ritualist theories, although they may approve of better methods of worship. Were any accusation made against them it would be that they were too liberal in their views, and not that they were returning to an old system. It is reported that some of the Presbyterians speak rather disrespectfully even of the minor prophets, whose claims to inspiration are doubted. This is certainly a mood of the mind that is far removed from ritualism and sacerdotalism. There is, of course, only one way of coming to a fair and impartial judgment regarding an institution or a country. That is, to see, in the first place, what stand is taken by the men who hold responsible positions, and who must be regarded as "representative." The literary work and the speeches and addresses of the leaders form the best ground on which to make a first estimate. Then, as subtle changes are always happening, there is a necessity for hearing all sides, which are, of course, represented in the newspapers. Further, in studying a people much has to be attributed to their customs, their traditions, their surroundings, and their temperament. Emerson essayed this study in England, and a more recent English author attempted it with much success in the case of France. But such writers are few and far between, although it is certainly advisable at the present day that there should be a better understanding between the Churches and the nations.

VICE-REGAL NEWS.—Yesterday morning Captain and the Hon. Mrs. Ferguson returned to Government House from National Park.

MINISTERIAL VISIT TO MUDGEE.—The Minister for Works, Mr. J. H. Young, left yesterday evening by the mail train on a visit to the Mudgee district. He will return to Sydney either on Tuesday night or Wednesday morning. He is accompanied by Messrs. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick and Harris, Ms.L.A.

TELEPHONIC COMMUNICATION WITH SOUTH HEAD.—Notices have been sent round to business houses asking if they will support the movement to secure telephonic communication by paying an annual fee of two guineas in addition to the charge at present made for the use of the telephone. The matter is not so much one of the proposed additional cost to the individual subscriber to the telephone department as of the necessity for the extra charge to be made, and it has caused some expression of opinion amongst that section of the community who would find most use for the South Head line, as well as drawing forth some suggestions. It is thought in the first place that the telephone charges are already sufficiently high, and it is also thought that in a port of the importance of Sydney the fact that the South Head station, the place of all others from which shipping bound this way is first seen, is to-day no more accessible to the business-doing section of the community than it was 20 years ago reflects upon the department having charge of the public facilities for communication.

THE WEATHER.—An extensive high pressure has taken possession of a large portion of the continent, including New South Wales, and the barometrical readings were last night for fine weather generally. No rain and very little cloud were the characteristics of the weather chart yesterday, and last night Mr. Russell said there is no rain in sight; all the indications are for fine, warm weather. The heat in the city was again very trying, 85·3 in the shade being recorded, and quite 10 degrees higher in the streets, though there was a slight breeze that somewhat mitigated the heat intensity. High temperatures were the rule in the country, 90° to 95° in the shade being recorded at a great many of the stations.

NAVAL NEWS.—His Excellency the Admiral is to return to Sydney next week. The flagship will probably call in for practice at Jervis Bay on her return trip round the coast. Last Thursday should have seen at Portsmouth the Orlando's successor, the Royal Arthur, commissioned as flagship of Admiral H. L. Pearson for the Australian station. The Royal Arthur is in command of Captain R. P. Fitzgerald. Captain Jones (captain in charge at Sydney) is temporarily succeeded by Captain Carter, and leaves for England by the Ormuz invalided. Lieutenant E. E. D. Clarke, R.N., who served in H.M.S. Nelson, and who is a son of the late Sir William Clarke, of Victoria, has just relieved Lieutenant Morgan, R.N., of the Katoomba. The Torch has relieved the Goldfinch in New Zealand, and the Mildura is also in the Maori colony. The Waterwitch is on survey duty up North, and the Pylades is due here from Brisbane on her way home, to be replaced on the station by H.M.S. Porpoise. A good deal of sickness has occurred recently on the surveying ship Dart, from which vessel both Captain Howard and First Lieutenant Parry are invalided, the captain in Sydney and the lieutenant at Hobart. The Lizard is with the flagship, the Karrakatta, and the Wallaroo at Melbourne. The Royalist and Rapid are at Sydney, the last named ship flying the homeward bound "whip," and anxiously awaiting the Mohawk, which has been commissioned, and left Chatham on the 13th ultimo for Australia to relieve her. The cruiser Tauranga has had a busy time of it in the New Hebrides, hunting up murderers and making minor arrests. The Penguin is also at the islands surveying the cable route somewhere between Fiji and Sydney. She recently left Fiji. Captain Leggatt, R.N., has relieved Captain Selby Ash as commander of the Goldfinch, and Captain Ash has gone home by the R.M.S. China.

MAIL STEAMERS.—The Austral got away from Albany for Adelaide at 10 a.m. yesterday. She will arrive there on Monday, and the English mail by her should be delivered here on Wednesday next. So that this will make five mails to reach Sydney by Wednesday, inclusive. The Valetta's London mails arrive to-day, there will be the San Francisco mail on Monday by the steamer Moana, due here to-morrow, the German mails per Frederich der Grosse on Tuesday, and the British mails per Austral, and French per Ville de la Ciotat on the following day. The Victoria leaves here in the P. and O. line on Monday, for London, and the Aorangi in the Canadian line, for Vancouver. By the Victoria Lady Thurston and the Misses Thurston are passengers, and by the Aorangi Mr. and the Misses Buxton, from South Australia.

ISLAND AFFAIRS.—Mr. W. H. Gors, manager at Port Moresby, New Guinea, for Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co., arrived last night on a visit to Sydney. The steamer Ysabel, which has for some time been employed in the inter-island New Hebrides service, is expected to arrive here to-day. The steamer Birksgate arrived from the islands last night. Under a new arrangement of the services the Ysabel will make six trips per year from Sydney round the New Hebrides, Banks, and Santa Cruz groups, while the New Guinea trade and the service to the Solomon Islands group will be left for the Titus as at present. There is a service between New Guinea ports and Australia performed by one of Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co.'s sailing vessels—the Ivanhoe—which makes periodical trips between Port Moresby and some other ports and Cooktown, carrying passengers, mails, and cargo.

HUNTER DISTRICT WATER AND SEWERAGE BOARD.—In pursuance of the examination which the Public Service Board has been making into the various branches of the Government service not directly connected with the departments, two of the members of the Board, Messrs. Barling and Powell, are now at Newcastle inquiring into the management of the Hunter District Water and Sewerage Board. The Royal Commission directing the Board to inquire into the charities of New South Wales has not yet been issued.

THE COAST HOSPITAL NURSES.—It was mentioned some days ago that the Government had decided to make a reduction in the number of hours worked by the nurses at the Coast Hospital by allowing them to get one day off each week. This concession was recommended by the Public Service Board and approved by the Government, but it cannot yet be carried out, for it will mean the appointment of no less than nine additional nurses and two more servants, and at present there is no accommodation at the hospital for the additional staff. A sum of money has been placed on the Estimates now before the House to provide additional rooms, and as soon as the money is voted the work will be proceeded with.

MR. LOUIS PULVER.—The death is announced of Mr. Louis Pulver, who since 1885 has been headmaster of the Sydney Hebrew School. Deceased had suffered for some months from an internal malady, and it was thought necessary to remove him from his residence to the Sydney Hospital, where he died on Thursday afternoon in spite of the unremitting care of the doctors and nurses. In addition to being a zealous teacher and true friend to those under his care Mr. Pulver was a gifted musician and a man of literary tastes. At one time he was secretary to the Orchestral Society in Melbourne. He had attained the age of 42 years, and earned the high regard of all with whom he became connected.

PRESENTATION TO MR. J. N. BREDEN.—Yesterday afternoon the members of the Town Hall Cricket Club and fellow civic officers met to present Mr. J. Neale Breden, of the town clerk's department, with a present on the occasion of his approaching marriage. The Mayor made the presentation in an appropriate speech. About fifty officers were present. The present took the form of a cabinet of silver and cutlery suitably inscribed.

NATIONAL ART GALLERY.—In memory of the late Colonel John M. Chard, V.C., the heroic defender of Rorke's Drift, whose death was recorded earlier in the week, the trustees of the National Art Gallery have decided to attach a mourning wreath this day and to-morrow to the great picture by De Neuville, which commemorates the engagement in question.

SUDDEN DEATH OF PROFESSOR MAX.—Professor Max, LL.D., evening lecturer in French and German at Sydney University, died suddenly yesterday morning. The Professor had been unwell for some days previously, but his friends had no apprehension that his condition was serious. Yesterday morning he went to the German Club, Phillip-street, and conversed there with some friends. While reclining on a lounge he was prostrated by a sudden seizure, and died before medical aid could arrive. The late Professor, who in his own country bore the title of Baron Max von Luttwitz, was educated at Berlin University. He came to Australia in 1883. An elder brother, who possessed considerable estates in Bohemia, suffered heavy losses in the Austro-German war in 1866. As the result of that struggle the family were impoverished, and the late Professor went to England, where he taught in private schools. He came to Australia upon receiving an appointment to the Sydney Grammar School. He held the position for six years, and was in 1889 appointed to the position at the Sydney University which he held at the time of his death. At the beginning of the present year he paid a visit to Germany. In Australia he dropped the family name, and was content to be known by the title of Professor Max. He was 61 years of age. The late Professor was respected by all who knew him for his scholarship, his good nature, and his sympathetic qualities.

FATAL RESULT OF BURNS.—A fire, which was attended with fatal results, occurred at the residence of Mr. Andrews, Bondi-road, Bondi, late on Thursday night. It appears that Miss Kate Andrews, whilst in bed, shortly before midnight, was reading a book, when the bedclothing caught fire. The unfortunate young woman was severely burned about the face, body, and arms before the occurrence was discovered. When medical aid arrived she was in a very serious condition, and at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon she expired.

CRUSHED BY A BALE OF WOOL.—The death of James Graham, 34, a labourer, recently employed at Dalgety's wool store, Miller's Point, was made the subject of an inquest by the City Coroner at Chancery Square yesterday afternoon. According to the evidence deceased was working at the store on the 1st instant. During the afternoon he was on C floor receiving bales of wool thrown from a hatch in B floor above. Charles Neal, aged 16, had thrown down a bale which struck deceased on the back causing a fracture of the spine. Before letting the bale fall through the hatch he had given the usual signal to Graham, who had replied "Let her go." Immediately afterwards he heard Graham exclaim "I am done for," and knew that he had been hurt. Deceased was taken to Sydney Hospital, and died there on Thursday evening. Mr. Urquhart was present to watch the proceedings on behalf of the boy Neal, and also on behalf of Dalgety and Co. A verdict of accidental death was recorded.

SUICIDE IN CROWN-STREET.—At the South Sydney Morgue yesterday the City Coroner (Mr. J. C. Woore, J.P.) held an inquest on the body of Annie Higgins, 38, the woman who died on Thursday at 380 Crown-street after having taken strychnine. The jury returned a verdict of suicide.

The inquiry into charges made against Senior-constable Quelch was continued yesterday and adjourned till 10 a.m. on Wednesday.

The appointment of a number of electoral registrars and assistant registrars is notified in a supplement to yesterday's "Government Gazette."

An important supplement to the "Government Gazette" appeared yesterday, announcing that the forfeiture of conditional purchases and leases

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granted on October 14 last has been reversed. These are lands held by the following:—Hugh C. R. Gadden, Herbert G. T. Seccombe, Leslie M. T. Seccombe, James Wilson (2), John Dodd, Charles Edward Millar, William Thomas T. Seccombe, Claude Thorne Seccombe, Hugh Urquhart, James O'Gorman, James Webeck (2), James Reynolds Irvin, Duncan Kennedy, George Bates.

At a committee meeting of representatives of the North Sydney Sunday schools, held at the residence of Mr. S. Sinclair, Alfred-street, on Thursday, it was reported that as a result of the collections at the recent Sunday school services the sum of £6 was forwarded to the North Shore Hospital.

In connection with the installation of Miss Dixon as missionary to the La Perouse aborigines a meeting will be held in the Centenary Hall to-morrow afternoon.

We receive a pamphlet which contains from "Hansard" a report of the speech delivered by Mr. David Storey, M.L.A., in the Assembly on October 27 last on "The Public Finances."

In our advertising columns it is notified that Dr. J. D. Sly, in response to a requisition, has decided to offer himself as a candidate for the North Ward of the borough of Ashfield in February next.

The recognition of the value of the Rev. Joseph Campbell's little handbook for prospectors, "Simple Tests for Minerals, or Every Man his own Analyst," is shown by its issue in a new edition, the fourth. It is published by Messrs. Angus and Robertson in a very convenient form and with the latest revision of the author, who as mentioned in the preface has now taken up mining duties in New Zealand.

Professor Gosman, of Melbourne, delivered a lecture last night at the School-hall, Petersham, on "Julius Cæsar." The lecture was under the auspices of the Petersham Congregational Institute, Mr. J. E. Salter presiding.

Judge Backhouse, Vice-Chancellor of the University, redelivered his lecture, "Some Phases of Impecuniosity Casually Considered," at the St. James' Schoolroom, Croydon, last night.

An amended regulation substituted for gaol regulation No. 31 was gazetted yesterday. This concerns prisoners awaiting trial and defines their privileges.

A concert and fireworks fete will be held on Tuesday night next at the Waverley Park. The proceeds will be devoted to the local benevolent society.

Mr. Vincent P. Taylor writes to warn the public of the necessity of care when using fire at picnic resorts and elsewhere, as the bush is, Mr. Taylor points out, in a highly inflammable state.

As a result of an enthusiastic vote of a large audience the managers of the camp meeting at Summers have decided to extend the services 10 days.

The result of the ballot for the committee of the Bayview-Pittwater Association was—Mr. J. Austin, 95; Mr. J. J. Roche, 90; Mr. J. T. Swanson, 80; Mr. F. T. Taylor, 87; Mr. S. Morrison, 71; Mr. F. Chave, 69; Mr. J. Symonds, 69.

The anniversary of the foundation of the Newtown Congregational Church and the nineteenth anniversary of the pastorate of the Rev. Warlow Davies, M.A., will be continued to-morrow.

The net proceeds of the sale of work held on Wednesday last in the Waverley Presbyterian Church amounted to over £60.

Constable Mallard last night found a woman lying in a doorway in Pitt-street in a semi-conscious condition. He took her to Sydney Hospital, where she was admitted.

A married woman named Catherine Thorncroft (30) was found dead in bed yesterday morning at her late residence, No. 46 Wattle-street, Chippendale. Death was due to natural causes.

Recently a lad named Allerton, in the employ of Messrs. Fairfax and Roberts, jewellers, Hunter-street, found a remarkable specimen of the flannel flower in Middle Harbour. The ordinary height of these plants is from 12in. to 18in., but this particular one is 3ft., its width at the broadest part being 10in.

On Thursday night last the usually quiet locality of Kerosene Bay was thrown into a state of excitement when it became known that as the result of a dispute two men had been seriously injured, necessitating in one case removal to the North Shore Hospital and in the other medical attendance. From what can be gathered it appears that the residents camping in the vicinity of Kerosene Bay had until recently been in the habit of getting water from the Bay-road station, on the Milson's Point Railway. The concession has, however, been withdrawn, consequently the natural water of the creek in the vicinity has to answer all demands. A man named Patrick Foran, about 40, had formed a small well to insure a supply, but seems to have claimed the sole right of using its contents, although taken from the creek. On Thursday night a man went down to get water, taking it from Foran's well, and claiming the right to do so. Foran objected, and a row seems to have taken place, stones being freely used. Foran received severe injuries to his head, and was taken to the local hospital, where he was admitted.

A burglary was committed at Giblett's store in Thornleigh early yesterday morning. The burglars succeeded in escaping.

TO-DAY.

League of N.S.W. Wheelmen: Championship Meeting, Agricultural Ground, Moore Park. First race, 2.30 p.m.

Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron: General Handicap Race, start at 2 p.m. The squadron steamer will leave the floating jetty, Circular Quay, at 1.40 p.m.

Sydney Amateur Sailing Club: Class A Championship Race, start at 1.15 p.m. The club steamer Minerva will leave Watson's Bay Jetty at 2 o'clock.

Young Men's Christian Association: Meeting, 7.45 p.m.

Sydney Cricket Ground: N.S.W. Eleven v. Next Fifteen, 2 p.m.

Rosehill Races: First event, 2 p.m.

Cotter's People's Concerts: Protestant Hall, 8 p.m.

Royal Standard Theatre: "Mab, the Miner's Daughter," 8 p.m.

Woollahra Presbyterian Sunday School Annual Picnic, Manly: S.S. Rosenberg leaves Circular Quay at 8.15 a.m., 12.15, and 2.15 p.m.; Double Bay at 9 and 11.30 a.m.

University Hall: Popular Guild Concert, 8 p.m.

Mr. Christmas's Pictures: Equitable-building, George-street, from 10 a.m. to 5.30.

Afternoon Excursion to Hawkesbury River: S.S. Newcastle, from wharf foot of Market-street, at 2 o'clock.

Intercolonial Band Contest: Town Hall, 1.30 to 10 p.m.

Ashfield Presbyterian Church: Sale of Work in Ashfield Hall.

Johnstone's Bay Sailing Club: Champion 18-footer Race. The club steamer Lady Manning leaves Erskine-street, Sydney, 2.15; Circular Quay; Princes Stairs, 3 o'clock.

Pitt-street Congregational Sunday School Picnic, Cabarita. Aldinga leaves Fountain Jetty 8.30 a.m., 11.30 a.m., and 2 p.m.

Queen Victoria Fair, in aid of Building a Church of England Deaconesses' Institution in connection with "Bethany": Y.M.C.A. Hall.

The St. Luke's Exhibition Fair, Exhibition Building, 10.30 a.m. and 7 to 10.30 p.m.

Society of Artists' Spring Exhibition: Vickery's-chambers, 76 Pitt-street, 10 a.m. till 5.30 p.m.

Cyclorama, opposite Redfern Railway Station: Open 10 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. and 7 to 10 p.m.

Polytechnic, 92 King-street: Open all day.

Her Majesty's Theatre: "Two Little Vagabonds," 7.45 p.m.

Tivoli Theatre: Variety Entertainment, 2.55 and 8 p.m.

Lyceum Theatre: "The Prince King," 8 p.m.

PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY.

For over 40 years the Balmain Regatta has been the chief attraction on the Prince of Wales' Birthday, and on only one occasion has it been missed as a complete fixture. This year special efforts have been put forth by the committee so that it shall retain its pristine popularity, and with this object in view several modifications have been made.

A grand military and naval tournament, by permission of Major-General French, and a sports meeting, including bicycle races, will be held on the Agricultural Ground.

The trial cricket match will be continued on the Sydney Cricket Ground between the New South Wales Eleven and the Next Fifteen.

The Prince of Wales' Birthday Meeting will be continued at Rosehill.

To Manly the whole of the fleet of the Port Jackson Co-operative S.S. Company will run, plying from the Circular Quay and Manly at frequent intervals.

Fern Bay has always its attractions for holiday-makers. Dancing will be enjoyed all day, family parties will be specially catered for, and out-door amusements will be in abundance.

Two lines of steamers will run from the Circular Quay to Flat Rock, Lavender Bay and the head of Middle Harbour—the Birkenhead, Waterview, and Pirelia, and Moore's steamers.

For Clifton Gardens Boxall and Well's string band has been engaged. Out-door amusements have also been attended to.

Correy's Gardens, Cabarita, have always a large following, and for the coming holiday the proprietor has determined that nothing shall hinder his prestige.

The Bondi Aquarium has prepared a monster programme. Dancing will be indulged in all through the day, and in the afternoon Bailey's troop of artists will appear.

In the Coogee Aquarium Mr. Larmour has placed in the tanks some rare piscatorial specimens which have been obtained at great cost. These in themselves should prove a draw. Dancing will be carried on at intervals till 11 p.m., and a strong variety company has been got together.

In the Town Hall the second intercolonial band contest will be continued. The chief number on the programme is the contest for the championship of Australasia.

THE LUCKNOW MINES.

THE STRIKE DECLARED OFF.

ORANGE, Friday.

The strike was practically declared off last night as the efforts of the deputation appointed yesterday afternoon to endeavour to persuade the men to come out met with no success. Such men as were interviewed when coming off at the 4 o'clock shift yesterday turned an unheeding ear to all persuasion, and affected incredulity at the new turn of affairs. As any attempt to persuade the men to go on strike again seemed futile, it was tacitly agreed to proceed no further in the matter. A deputation of two men saw Mr. Canning, mining manager under Mr. Lock, during the evening, and asked him what rate would be paid. It is understood that he said, the terms offered the men were unchanged, but that there would probably be extensive contracting. At a meeting this morning the strike was declared off as from to-day. The balance of the strike pay will be distributed on Monday, and all affairs will then be settled up.

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SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE "HERALD'S" LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

THE INDIAN FRONTIER.

LONDON, Nov. 5.

Advices from the north-western frontier of India state that the Afridis occupying the Maidan at Tirah have sent a notification to General Sir William Lockhart that they are about to send a deputation to him with the view of asking terms of peace.

LABOUR TROUBLES IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, Nov. 5.

It is understood that the Employers' Federation is willing to discuss with the representatives of the engineers the question of a reduction in the hours of labour on condition that the lockout shall be enforced until a final settlement has been arrived at.

GREAT BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES.

THE ARBITRATION TREATY.

LONDON, Nov. 5.

A telegram received from Washington through Reuter's Agency states that Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British Minister, is about to confer with Mr. John Sherman, the American Secretary of State, with a view to the reopening of the negotiations for an arbitration treaty between Great Britain and the United States.

WEST AFRICA.

LONDON, Nov. 4.

Reports from Lagos, West Africa, state that the French have expelled many sympathisers with the Royal Niger Company from Boussa. These natives have collected at Leaba, and are appealing to the company to reinstate them in their homes.

The "Standard" declares that Lord Salisbury ought to insist upon the French withdrawing from Say before the Anglo-French Commission proceeds to delimit the spheres of the two countries.

Nov. 5.

The French have evacuated Saki.

THE TRANSVAAL.

LONDON, Nov. 5.

The Transvaal Volksraad has by a majority of one vote referred the question of the reduction in the amount of the dynamite duties to the legal advisers of the Government.

THE YUKON GOLDFIELDS.

GREAT RUSH EXPECTED IN THE SPRING.

LONDON, Nov. 4.

It is expected that half a million Americans will rush to the Yukon goldfields early in the spring.

One shipping firm alone has received 80,000 applications for passages to the Yukon.

The White Pass route to the fields has been abandoned, 3200 horses having already perished in crossing. The Canadians prefer the Stickeen River route.

RAILWAY EXTENSION IN SOUTH AFRICA.

OPENING OF THE LINE TO BULAWAYO.

LONDON, Nov. 5.

The railway from Mafeking to Bulawayo, the capital of Matabeleland, was formally opened yesterday by Sir Alfred Milner, K.C.B., Governor of Cape Colony and High Commissioner for South Africa. There was a great assemblage from all parts of South Africa.

A message was read from Mr. Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, congratulating the settlers upon the opening of the line.

A BYE-ELECTION.

LONDON, Nov. 5.

Mr. Duckworth, a Liberal, has been elected for the Middleton Division of South-east Lancashire by a majority of 300 to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Thomas Fielden (Conservative).

AN APPEAL CASE.

LONDON, Nov. 5.

The Court of Appeal has upheld the judgment directing the London and Globe Finance Corporation to pay to Mr. W. R. Wilson a sum of £48,750 for neglecting to allot him 7500 shares in the Lake View Consols mine.

THE ORIENT LINE.

LONDON, Nov. 4.

The outward steamers of the Orient line will commence calling at Marseilles on the 26th instant, and the first homeward-bound steamer will call at the French port on December 13.

TYPHOID AT MAIDSTONE.

LONDON, Nov. 4.

The number of cases of typhoid at Maidstone since the outbreak of the epidemic has been 1800, of which 125 resulted fatally.

ENGLISH SPORTING.

LIVERPOOL AUTUMN CUP.

LONDON, Nov. 4.

"Mr. Jersey's" (Mrs. Langtry) Australian racehorse Merman, by Grand Flaneur—Seaweed, is among the acceptors for the Liverpool Autumn Cup, 1 mile 3 furlongs, to be run on November 12.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

Intending steamship passenger must not forget to provide themselves with a stock of Ogden's Guinea Gold Cigarettes.—Advt.

BRITISH POLITICS.

UNIONIST DEMONSTRATION AT NORWICH.

SPEECH BY MR. BALFOUR.

LONDON, Nov. 5.

A Unionist demonstration was held at Norwich last night. The principal speaker was Mr. A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury, who dealt with a number of questions of public interest.

Referring to the subject of education, he said that the Education Bill had so far worked without causing friction. If, however, it should fail in its intentions he warned the Nonconformists that he was unable to see how the arrangement of 1870 could continue to render co-operation on the part of the Board and voluntary schools possible. Speaking of the European situation, he said that the Concert of the Powers had been the means of preventing a general conflagration. It had secured autonomy for Crete, and had saved Greece from being compelled to transfer her people to alien rule.

Adverting to the rising on the north-western frontier of India, Mr. Balfour said that the Government did not desire to add to its responsibilities in regard to India, the object of the expedition under Sir William Lockhart being rather to secure Britain's present possessions on the frontier. The Government was unable to agree to a policy of retirement. The tribesmen had not hinted at a breach of faith on the part of England.

Mr. Balfour said he was surprised at the views recently enunciated by the Earl of Rosebery on the question of Imperial federation. These utterances Mr. Balfour regarded as a slip, and he thought they were likely to be afterwards withdrawn. He was unaware why Britain should consult foreign nations in framing her tariffs, for foreign nations did not consult Britain. Each community decided for itself as an absolute right to arrange commercial federation, in the same way as Germany acted with regard to the Zollverein and the United States in the matter of her tariff.

Mr. Balfour said that the main object in view was the knitting of the members of the Empire in close community which would certainly conduce to the world's peace and not to war. The strength of the Empire could not be buttressed by concessions to irrational demands. An independent policy executed in a spirit of conciliation and brotherhood would attain both ends in view.

SIR MICHAEL HICKS-BEACH AT SHEFFIELD.

LONDON, Nov. 5.

Speaking at the annual banquet of the Cutlers' Company at Sheffield last night Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Chancellor of the Exchequer, said that the Government would not shrink from the duty of building up the Empire. The number of countries without prohibitive tariffs was yearly becoming smaller.

GERMAN EAST AFRICA.

LONDON, Nov. 4.

The Usumbara Railway, German East Africa, has proved a failure. The Reichstag will be asked to complete the line.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Friday.

On Wednesday evening, in the Assembly, Sir H. Tozer stated that the Premier had received a communication from the Queensland National Bank commissioners of an embarrassing nature. Sir Hugh Nelson has replied to the commissioners, but owing to the absence of one of the commissioners, Mr. Forrest, from Brisbane, the correspondence will not be laid on the table of the Assembly until Monday.

At a conference of members of five suburban divisional boards held to-day, it was agreed to protest against the provisions of the Victoria Bridge Bill now before Parliament. The question of the abolition of tolls was left open, but a free bridge was generally favoured.

The Queensland Yacht Club has refused a request by the local committee to hold the intercolonial race on Boxing Day over the Cleveland course. It was decided to adhere to the Pilelight course for that event.

TASMANIA.

HOBART, Friday.

Mr. James H. B. Walch, senior partner of J. Walch and Sons, died on Thursday night after a lingering illness.

The Treasurer definitely told a deputation from the West Coast Railway League that he had no intention of resigning his seat in the Assembly.

AUSTRALIAN PARLIAMENTS.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Friday.

In the Assembly to-day the Elections Bill was passed. The House went into committee on the Land Bill. Mr. Hardacre tried to insert a clause providing for the throwing open of workmen's residence plots in and around the towns, the same as is done in South Australia. Mr. Foxton objected on the ground that a workman could get plots on more advantageous terms under the present law. He promised, however, to insert some provision further on to meet the difficulty of the town settlement. Mr. M'Donald moved a reduction in the amount of land the Government can sell annually from 150,000 to 50,000 acres. The debate is proceeding.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

PERTH, Friday.

In the Assembly yesterday the Excess Bill for the financial year ended June, 1896, passed its third reading. The Sale of Liquors Bill was considered in committee. The penalty for a publican offering for sale or having on his licensed premises adulterated liquor was altered from £50 to not less than £10 nor more than £50. The bill provides that a second offence shall be a misdemeanour, punishable by defined terms of imprisonment.

TASMANIA.

HOBART, Friday.

In the Assembly this afternoon, replying to a question, the Premier said the appointment of Agent-General would only be renewed from year to year until it was shown that federation may not be expected within a reasonable time. The question of refunding to the Tasmanian Water Power Electric Company £1000, deposited in accordance with the provisions of the Australasian Rights Purchase Act, was discussed, and defeated by a large majority, though many members favoured the proposal.

The caucus to-day resulted in nothing definite being decided in regard to the reorganisation of the Opposition party.

BOOMERANG BRANDY.
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VICTORIA.

DROWNING FATALITY.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

A sad drowning fatality occurred at Portland to-day, the victim being a fisherman named Joseph Lear, aged 20 years. The deceased, with a mate, was in a boat hauling crayfish pots, and the wash striking the boat caused the tiller to swerve, throwing Lear into the sea. He attempted to swim to the boat, but was weighed down by his oilskins, and sank out of sight.

THE CRICKET MATCH.

The match between Stoddart's Eleven and Victoria will be commenced on the Melbourne Cricket Ground to-morrow, and is exciting great interest. Everything promises well for the match. Stoddart will not pick his team till the last moment, but it is believed that Druce will take the place of Briggs, who is indisposed. The Victorian team is a fairly strong one, consisting of H. Trott, Graham, M'Michael, Bruce, Worrall, C. M'Leod, Giller, J. Harry, Johns, Roche, and Trumble.

THE AXEMEN'S CARNIVAL.

The Axemen's Carnival was concluded at the Exhibition Oval to-day. The final heat in the Handicap Chop of £200 resulted in Allen and M'Kenna making a dead heat, Manson being third, and Buckingham fourth, all of Tasmania. The Ironbark Champion Chop was won by Thomas Brunie, of Western Australia, with J. Buckingham, of Tasmania, second.

THE CHAMPION PIGEON SHOT.

Mr. Donald M'Intosh, the Australian champion pigeon shot, who has done so well in England and on the Continent, is returning to Australia by the steamer Ville de la Ciotat, and will be in Melbourne by Wednesday. He has written a long letter to Mr. P. Levy, secretary of the Melbourne Gun Club, giving particulars of some fine field sport he has had in England; and also sending a list of his winnings in the pigeon matches while he has been away from Melbourne. The list shows that he has won in money and trophies no less a sum than £3750.

At the St. Kilda Court to-day Frank Sparrow was fined £20, with £5 5s costs, for keeping a tote shop.

At the Town Hall to-night the Philharmonic Society sang Gounod's "Mors et Vita." A uniform charge of one shilling was made for admission, and the hall was crowded.

The half-yearly meeting of the Broken Hill Junction Company was held to-day. Mr. J. H. Howe, of South Australia, presided, and, commenting on the report, said the directors were now in a position to state that the chief difficulties at the mine had been surmounted, and that the shipments of crude ore of a payable nature would be resumed, with every indication of an increase of the ore body.

NEW ZEALAND.

AUCKLAND, Friday.

Owing to the danger of rinderpest the importation into New Zealand of stock from Java and the adjacent islands is prohibited.

The native trouble in the Taranaki district is extending. Several Maori have been arrested for ploughing on stations occupied by Europeans.

Bishop Williams, of Waiapu, has been welcomed back to his diocese after attending the Lambeth Conference.

Mr. J. G. Ward, ex-Colonial Treasurer, applied at the Invercargill Court to-day for an order of discharge, which was granted. The Judge stated that there was no question as to the books being accurately kept. Technically the fact that Mr. Ward allowed his books to be kept by the association he was connected with did not amount to a misdemeanour; that was the only point, and according to the assignee's report it was not sufficient for delaying the order.

The man Allendale who escaped from a Lyttelton labour gang a few days ago has been recaptured. When called upon to stand he took no notice, though the police dropped two shots close to his heels. He then armed himself with an axe and put his back against a rock and said the police must either shoot him or he would kill them. He eventually threw down the weapon, and was recaptured.

The directors of the Union Steamship Company recommend a dividend of 2½ per cent. for the half-year, making 5 per cent. for the year. They also recommend a bonus of 1 per cent. from the insurance fund, making in all 6 per cent.

WELLINGTON, Friday.

Correspondence laid on the table of the House shows that the reasons why Colonel Fox, the late commander of the forces, recommended the adoption of the Martini-Henry rifles, were the great difficulty of obtaining ranges near the four chief centres of the colony, on which the small bore Lee-Metford rifle could be used, and the expense of the Lee-Metford ammunition.

The Old Age Pensions Bill provides that the amount of the pension shall be £18 per year diminished by 30s for every complete £3 of income, so that no pension shall be payable for any year in which the income is £36 or upwards.

NORTHERN TERRITORY.

PORT DARWIN, Friday.

The Cygnet sailed for Cambridge Gulf on Monday.

The Changsha, from Hongkong, arrived on Tuesday, and sailed the same day for Southern ports.

Nice stone is being obtained from the Zapopan mine, Brock's Creek. A post and telegraph office has been opened at Brock's Creek this week. This is at present one of the principal mining centres in the territory.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

PERTH, Thursday.

The Government to-day accepted the tender of Messrs. Howard Smith and Sons for the supply of coal at various ports for Government service for three years from January next, at 16s 4d per ton.

Regarding a telegram from Albany with reference to the reserve said to have been made for the Admiral's residence, the Premier was questioned to-day, and said he had not yet appealed to the Imperial authorities with a view to the establishment of a naval station at Albany, but it was his intention to move in that direction.

CUP FESTIVITIES IN MELBOURNE.

GARDEN PARTY AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The garden party at Government House this afternoon was a fitting climax to the brilliant race-week festivities. Happily delightful weather prevailed. The lovely grounds were seen in their full summer beauty. Visitors commenced to arrive as early as 3 o'clock, and Lord and Lady Brassey were busy greeting their guests. Refreshments were served in the ballroom and the state dining-room, and the band stationed on the lawn added to the pleasure of all present, who numbered over 2000. Nearly all the Sydney visitors were present, and seemed to thoroughly appreciate the hospitality extended to them. As the afternoon was happily graced with delightful sunshine and a cool pleasant breeze, the feminine dressing was particularly attractive, and the frocks and millinery that had been withheld during the week through the unsettled weather, were at last seen to special advantage. Lady Brassey wore a lovely gown of grey moire velours, with white drawn chiffon bodice; her picture hat was of black straw with pink roses and white feathers. Mrs. Freeman Thomas chose a white crepe de chine, with insertions of black Chantilly lace, vandyked upon the body, bodice, and skirt. Her hat of yellow satin straw was simply trimmed with loops of black velvet and black feathers. The two Misses Brassey were again dressed alike in white satin and very smart lace and chiffon bodices, toques of roses and white wings. The Hon. Dorothy Brand looked well in white with pale-blue chiffon bodice, and a large white hat with roses. On all sides the charms of blending colour with silken fabrics, filmy laces, and chiffons were in evidence, and the scene on the lawns was one that made an effective conclusion to a notable festive week. Lord Hampden was present, and also the Admiral, and Lieutenant Duff, Mr. Albert Brassey, Mrs. Skiffington Smythe, Miss Cox, Miss Darley, Mr. and Miss Osborne, Captain and the Misses Dangar, Captain Sloane Stanley, Captain Feilden, Captain Pelham, Lord Richard Nevill, the Earl of Shaftesbury, Mr. Ernest Lucas, Captain Pollard, Sir Somers Vine, Mr. and Mrs. F. Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Fleming, Mr. and Miss Delohery, Mrs. and Miss Slattery, Miss Lily Hill, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hall.

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COUNTRY NEWS.

EMIGRATION OF BEES.

WOLLONGONG, Friday.

It is noted as a peculiar occurrence that bees, which for many years have frequented the land around Lake Illawarra, have within the last few months gradually deserted the locality, until there is now not one to be seen there, although orchards and flower gardens are in full bloom, and there is abundance of their favourite food. In many cases the hives containing great quantities of honey have been abandoned by the bees. The cause of this emigration is a mystery.

DUBBO CO-OPERATIVE MILLING COMPANY

DUBBO, Friday.

The fourth annual meeting of the shareholders of the Dubbo Co-operative Milling Company was held at the town hall this evening. The report as read by the chairman of directors (Mr. W. B. Perry) showed that although the mill was closed down for two months, owing to the failure of the wheat supply last year, a profit of £824 10s 8d was made for the financial year ending September 30, 1897. A dividend of 7½ per cent. on 10,676 shares was declared, absorbing £800 14s, and a balance of £1304 11s 9d (including £1280 5s 1d brought forward from last year) carried forward. During the year 93,000 bushels of wheat were treated, and £17,684 7s 8d expended in the purchase of grain, whilst £1004 14s 10d was disbursed in salaries and wages.

ARMIDALE, Friday.

The Public school sports were held here to-day. There was a large attendance, the weather being fine and hot. The Junior Championship was won by H. Stephenson (Glen Innes), and the All Schools Championship, 120 yards, by H. Bruxner, of the Armidale school.

BLAYNEY, Friday.

Last night the installation of Worshipful Master and the investiture of officers took place at Lodge Carrington as follows:—Worshipful Master, Wor. Bro. W. K. Howell; I.M.P., Wor. Bro. S. J. Hurst; S.W., Bro. E. J. Hadley; J.J., Bro. G. Pile; treasurer, Bro. Rumart; secretary, Bro. T. A. Woodward; S.D., Bro. E. R. Clark; W.D., Bro. C. G. Brailey; director of ceremonies, Wor. Bro. W. J. Barratt; I.G., Bro. J. Leyland. The installation ceremonies were performed by Wor. Bro. S. J. Hurst, assisted by Wor. Bro. Barham, district inspector of workings, and Wor. Bro. W. Scotford, of Lodge Caledonia, Bathurst.

BROKEN HILL, Friday.

The hospital board select committee inquiring into the hospital imbroglio met again last night and examined Dr. M'Kay, one of the honorary staff. The investigation is now practically complete, and the committee hope to be able to report to the board next week.

An athletic league has been formed locally to control and direct athletic sports on the Barrier. Most of the sporting bodies are represented. The committee is now engaged in preparing a code of rules.

The Junior Public Examination in the theory of music in connection with the Adelaide University was held at the Town Hall this afternoon. Four candidates presented themselves. Several members of the local committee were present.

CAMDEN, Friday.

A successful tea meeting and sports were held at Narellan this afternoon, the attendance being satisfactory. The principal handicap was won by George Leuckel. A concert was held in the evening, Sydney performers assisting.

COOMA, Friday.

Last night the annual Masonic installation ceremony of the Lodge Manaro, No. 164, was held in the lodgeroom, Cooma. V.W. Bro. Bryce Potter, representing the Grand Lodge of New South Wales, was present. The following officers were invested:—Worshipful Master, Bro. William Madgwick, J.P.M., Wor. Bro. Gomm; S.W., Bro. D. Jeffrey; W.W., Bro. R. Duke; treasurer, Wor. Bro. J. W. Burch; secretary, Bro. H. Dent; S.D., Bro. J. Dawson, J.D., Bro. T. Wood; J.G., Bro. E. Perkins; tyler, Bro. H. Niblock. The usual local and Masonic toasts were honoured.

The news of the death of Mrs. M. S. Love, wife of the Deputy S.M. in Sydney, and formerly police magistrate here, was received with deep regret, as she was much esteemed.

DUBBO, Friday.

The weather continues most unfavourable for the wheat crops, and grave fears are forced upon us that the yield will be far below last year's average. Haymaking has commenced, but in many places the plants are too short to cut. The strong winds during the last week have done more damage to crops than the previous dry weather.

GLEN INNES, Friday.

Great dissatisfaction is expressed at the action of the Public Service Board in retrenching the assistant local C.P.S. from the 30th ultimo. The member for the district, Mr. F. A. Wright, waited on the Minister for Justice, but without avail. The new C.P.S. will therefore be required to fill several important offices without aid.

A destructive fire occurred on Wednesday at Ben Lomond on the property of a farmer named James Pollock. The building contained a large quantity of produce and machinery. The cause is unknown. The property was uninsured.

GOULBURN, Friday.

A shocking domestic tragedy occurred here yesterday morning. The wife of a carpenter named Johns left her home, carrying her infant child a few weeks old. Not returning, a search was instituted, and this afternoon the child's body was found in the Wollondilly River, a short distance from town. Directly afterwards the mother's body was discovered under where that of the child had been. Mrs. Johns had been in weak health since the birth of the child, and it is believed her mind was affected, though this was not suspected till recently.

To-day the employers of the local business establishments tendered their employees a picnic at Kenmore. The attendance was very large. The afternoon was spent in sports of various kinds.

GRAFTON, Friday.

Mr. J. T. M'Kittrick has been elected president of the Grafton Chamber of Commerce; Mr. F. M'Guren, vice-president; and Mr. G. H. Varley, treasurer.

The Rev. C. Stark was accorded a welcome at the Baptist Church to-night, on his return from the Christian Endeavour Conference at Hobart.

The weather was excessively hot to-day, with a dry westerly wind blowing. The thermometer was up to 100° in the shade.

Forty dairy cattle arrived from Sydney yesterday consigned to the Fresh Food and Ice Company.

GUNDAGAI, Friday.

The Gundagai troop of Australian Horse was enrolled here to-day. About 50 horsemen mustered on the reserve during the afternoon. Lieutenant and Adjutant Thompson selected 30 men and horses. The men are of good physique, and the horses chosen are said to be of an excellent stamp, and in good condition. Mr. W. T. Griffin, who organised the troop, has been selected as lieutenant. Mr. J. R. Linsley, J.P., C.P.S., and Warden, swore in the men at the Courthouse. An offer to form a troop at Tumut was not entertained, the strength of the Australian Horse being fully recruited.

INVERELL, Friday.

Myall Creek station cut out on Thursday. The largest tally cut was 114. The clip is very fair. Reedy Creek station finished on Wednesday, the clip being highly satisfactory.

KEMPSEY, Friday.

The weather continues very dry and rain is badly needed. Immense bush fires have been raging during the past few days all around the district, and at Stuart Point yesterday an unoccupied house was burnt down through the bush fires. The building was insured in the Mercantile Mutual Fire for £150. The saw mills at the same place have been in great danger, the ground having to be trenched all around to save them.

KIAMA, Friday.

In the Temperance Hall last night under the auspices of the Kiama School of Arts committee Mr. George W. Fuller (Sydney) delivered a lecture on the subject "Edmund Burke, One of Ireland's Greatest Sons."

LIVERPOOL, Friday.

The installation and investiture of officers of Lodge Cumberland St. George, 197, took place in the lodge room on Wednesday evening. The building was prettily decorated with flowers and ferns. Between fifty and sixty of the craft were present, including visitors from the metropolitan, suburban, and other lodges. The Rev. J. Shearman, incumbent of St. Luke's, was among the local visitors. Very Worshipful Brother Dobie acted as installing master, and duly installed Brother Pickersgill as worshipful master for the ensuing year. The newly installed worshipful master invested his officers as follows:—Bro. F. Chapman, S.W.; Bro. J. Bossley, J.W.; Wor. Bro. Saunders, chaplain; Wor. Bro. Pearce, treasurer; Bro. Long, secretary; Bro. Moxham, S.D.; Bro. Morehead, J.D.; Bro. Furlong, I.G.; Bro. Harman, tyler; Bro. H. Pearce, steward; Wor. Bro. Jones, director of ceremonies. At the conclusion of the ceremony Wor. Bro. Coll, the retiring master, was presented with a pastmaster's jewel. A banquet was held in the Town Hall, and the usual Masonic toasts were duly honoured.

LISMORE, Friday.

A hot wind was blowing to-day, the temperature in the shade being 96° to 98°.

There are several cases of diphtheria in town. Large bush fires are burning to the westward.

LITHGOW, Friday.

Mr. H. A. Crouch, district commissioner of land tax, has been here during the week in the adjustment of local appeals. The appeals were chiefly in connection with the assessment of coal properties.

The annual sports in connection with the Cooerwull Academy were held yesterday afternoon.

MILLTHORPE, Friday.

The weather is very calm, and the crop prospects are good; but rain would help them considerably.

MOUNT VICTORIA, Friday.

Special cheap excursion trains conveying 404 passengers passed through here from the westward to Sydney.

NOWRA, Friday.

Mr. Comerford, sen., an old resident of the district, died at Bolong yesterday at an advanced age.

The annual rose show, in aid of the Presbyterian Manse building fund, was opened in the School of Arts to-day.

The telegraph office at Terrara, the first established in this district, over thirty years ago, has been converted into a telephone station.

NARRABRI, Friday.

Hot weather prevails here with no indication of rain.

With regard to the proposal for having a daily mail service from Narrabri to Walgett, the Postal Department has informed Mr. C. Collins, M.L.A., that it was intended to call tenders for the conveyance of mails in this order from January 1 next, but owing to the high prices quoted by tenderers running mails four and six times a week it has been decided not to increase the frequency of the service from that date as proposed, and a tender has therefore been accepted for the continuance of the present tri-weekly service at a cost of £1350 per annum, which is £254 5s more than the price now paid for the same number of mails.

Six thousand sleepers have been seized by the district forester, and are now lying in the West Narrabri railway yards.

ORANGE, Friday.

Anticipating a hot summer, numbers of people in the Bourke and Cobar districts are inquiring for furnished and empty houses.

A memorial fountain is being erected in Robertson Park by the employees of the firm of Cobb and Co. to the memory of William Franklin Whitney, a member of the firm, who died in October, 1894.

PAMBULA, Friday.

There was a large number of visitors to town today for the annual flower show, which much surpassed those of former years in spite of the excessive hot windy weather, which has played great havoc with gardens during the last fortnight.

A magisterial inquiry was held yesterday on the body of John Delamere, who hung himself on the 3rd instant, and a verdict was returned that deceased died by his own act whilst labouring under a fit of despondency.

SINGLETON, Friday.

An extensive refrigerating plant and cooling chamber have been added to Moore and Co.'s butter factory.

Marble tablets have been erected to the memory of the late Canon Shaw in the churches at Broke, Bridgeman, Telford, and Merrania, in addition to a lectern in the local Church of England.

STROUD, Friday.

A very largely attended and enthusiastic meeting was held in the School of Arts last evening in connection with the Church Aid Fund. Addresses were given by the Ven. Archdeacon Bode, Newcastle, Rev. Walker, Morpeth, Rev. O. E. Hill, Dungog, and Rev. G. F. Rushforth, Stroud. During the evening the choir rendered several appropriate solos and songs.

TAMWORTH, Friday.

At a meeting of the committee of the Liverpool Plains P., A., and H. Association to-day the resignation of the president, Mr. Alexander Rodgers, of Athunga, who has filled the position for many years, was accepted.

An effort is being made to establish a local branch of St. John Ambulance Association.

TENTERFIELD, Friday.

The weather is dry and windy, and the wheat crop is rapidly failing.

An entertainment in aid of the School of Arts last night realised over £30.

WEST MAITLAND, Friday.

Farmers in the Cessnock, Pokolbin, Broke, Wollombi, Bishop's Bridge, and Gosforth districts, adjoining the Maitland district, state that the wheat crops for the season will exceed in quality and quantity any yield for the past 10 years. The stalks generally are long, clean, and free from rust. Between Broke and Wollombi some of the fields are showing signs of rust, but not in a very aggressive form.

During the past week in this district three valuable haystacks have been destroyed by fires originating in spontaneous combustion.

The Maitland Orchestral Society gave a benefit concert last evening in the Town Hall, in aid of an East Greta miner, whose back was broken in a colliery disaster.

Mr. John Gillies, who was recovering from the effects of an accident some weeks ago, was coming down stairs at his residence to-day, when his crutches swerved, and he was thrown heavily down seven steps, and was badly bruised about the body. He is likely to be confined to his room for some time.

The Maitland and Singleton Lancers and the Morpeth and East Maitland Companies of the 4th Infantry Regiment gave a military display in Maitland Park to-night. 6000 people were present. The 4th Regiment and New South Wales Lancer bands played selections. Colonel Ranclaud, Major Waddy, Captains Markwell and Scobie, and several other officers were present. A torchlight procession of the water and fire brigades and troops marched from the post-office to the park at 7.30 p.m.

WEST WYALONG, Friday.

The Postal Department has accepted the tender of H. Nicholson for the conveyance of a bi-weekly mail between West Wyalong and Yalgogrin; also the tender of A. Halbish for the conveyance of the mail between Ungarie and West Wyalong twice a week.

The coroner, Mr. R. A. Collie, J.P., held an inquest yesterday on the body of a miner named Morley, who received fatal injuries through falling down a shaft. The jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

WILCANNIA, Friday.

At the police court to-day, before Mr. E. O'Donnell and Dr. Atkins, J.s.P., John Maguire alias Macdonald was charged with stealing a £5-note from the dwelling of Gregans Daly, the property of William Brown. Accused was committed for trial at the Wilcannia Quarter Sessions.

The steamer Clyde arrived up stream last night; the Murrumbidgee and Emily Jane left down stream to-day; the William Davies passed Menindie up stream yesterday; the Emma arrived at Pooncarie up stream to-day; the Victor left Wentworth for Darling ports yesterday; the Florence Annie passed Tilpa up stream last night; the Rob Roy left Tilpa down stream yesterday.

WOLLONGONG, Friday.

The coal trade during the week has been somewhat slack, and few mines have worked full time.

In connection with the band contest to be held at Wollongong the following bands have entered for the principal events:—Gympie Town Band (Queensland), Gympie Oddfellows' Band, Newtown Brass Band, Parramatta Model Band, New South Wales Premier Band, Sydney Model Band, Bathurst Military Band, Sydney Enterprise Band, and Naval Brigade Band.

For the theoretical examination at Wollongong in connection with the Trinity College of Music there are 13 candidates.

A special cheap train to Sydney from the South Coast to-day was well filled on arrival at Wollongong, where the number of passengers was largely augmented.

THE HAMBOURG CHARITY CONCERT.

The generous impulse which prompted Messrs. Mark and Jakoff Hambourg and John Lemmone to return to Sydney for a final concert in aid of the Queen Victoria Home for Consumptives will cause their names to be very pleasantly remembered here. When one reflects how many artists have made great sums of money here without returning, as these have done, to give thanks by assisting local charity, one is tempted to ask in the words of Scripture, "But where are the nine?" However, not many visiting stars have done as well, we fear, as Mark Hambourg, between whom and this city a more than usually close tie exists. When he originally appeared here whilst yet his brilliant future was unassured, he was at once acclaimed by the press and people of Sydney as one of the most remarkable pianists who had ever appeared before them; after that came the seal of approval by the great centres of the world, and our verdict was confirmed by the weightier, but not more enthusiastic, approbation of London, Brussels, Paris, and Berlin. It is at the lastnamed capital that Mark Hambourg will again fulfil an important concert engagement before many weeks have passed away.

Last night's concert at the Town Hall realised £160, a very large sum considering that Friday is the worst concert night of the week, and that many people are still away at the Melbourne race Carnival. In the organisation of the concert Mr. H. S. Levy and Mr. R. Teece worked hard as hon. secretaries, the former being necessarily replaced last night, however, by Mr. T. H. Kelynack. At the end of the evening Mr. Teece, on behalf of the committee of the Queen Victoria Home for Consumptives, thanked all the artists for their distinguished assistance. The Messrs. Hambourg and Lemmone had come all the way from Melbourne at their own expense to give the concert, and Miss King, Mr. Woodhouse, and Mr. Sykes had generously joined in the good work. (Loud cheers.) By this magnanimous act these artists had given a fresh impetus to a cause deserving of the most extended patronage, and the two who were departing for the old world had excited in many thousand hearts sincere wishes for their success in life when far away, and the most fervent desire for their early return. (Renewed applause.)

The fact that, at the close of a long concert, Mr. Teece still had a large audience left to address, was due to the extraordinary enthusiasm which prevailed throughout the evening. Both Mark and Jakoff Hambourg were recalled again and again after Mr. Teece's brief address, and similar scenes of exuberant cordiality marked their successive appearances earlier in the programme. This need not be closely reviewed, consisting as it did of classic and romantic numbers already performed at these concerts. Mark Hambourg's first encore (after Leschetizsky's "Menuetto Capriccioso") was the Schubert-Tausig "Marche Militaire." At the close of the evening he substituted his own "Impromptu" in the place of the Franchetti-Hambourg "Poco à Poco" valse named on the programme. Jakoff Hambourg's extra number (after the Saint-Saens "Rondo Capriccioso") was the Chopin-Wilhelmj "Nocturne in B flat." Mr. John Lemmone, the marvellous purity of whose tone in Briccialdi's "Capriccio" for flute charmed the general ear, responded with Bronstet's "Reve apres le Bal" as encore. Miss Edith O. King's incisive brilliancy in "Ernani Involami" led to prolonged enthusiasm, which was appeased by the addition of Corbett's "Blossoms."

The Messrs. Hambourg are at present the guests of Mr. Sydney Moss at North Shore, and the exact date of their departure has not been fixed.

LATE SHIPPING.

ADELAIDE.—Arrivals: November 5, Larnaca, s., from Newcastle; Gulf of Taranto, s., from Liverpool; Marloo, s., from Sydney.

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NEWCASTLE.

THE COAL EXPORT TRADE.

NEWCASTLE, Friday.

There has been a noticeable falling-off in the coal trade during the past few days, the amount of coal shipped being considerably smaller than for many months past. The average daily output at the Government cranes at the Dyke during the week has been 6000 tons, as compared with 10,000 tons per day during the previous week—a decrease of 4000 tons per day. The quantity of coal shipped to intercolonial and foreign ports during the week ended this afternoon totalled 36,405 tons, as against 49,166 tons last week—a decrease of no less than 12,761 tons. The distribution was as follows:—Victoria, 6750 tons; South Australia, 3190 tons; United States, 7272 tons; Chili, 6097 tons; India, 6000 tons; New Zealand, 4883 tons; Mexico, 2213 tons. Total, 36,405 tons.

NEWCASTLE SCHOOL OF ARTS.

The monthly meeting of the general committee of the Newcastle School of Arts was held in the boardroom at the institution to-night. Mr. H. V. Harris, vice-president, occupied the chair, and there was a fair attendance of committeemen. A letter was received from Mr. H. J. Brown, ex-president of the institution, who recently resigned his position owing to the introduction of billiards, threatening to apply to the Supreme Court for an injunction restraining the committee from using the funds in the purchase of a billiard table, as decided upon at a special meeting of the members held on Wednesday night last. He further intimated that one of the grounds of his application would be that the lecture-hall of the institution was being illegally used as a billiard saloon. Mr. Brown, who practises as a solicitor in this city, also notified his intention of including not only the committeemen but the other members of the School of Arts as defendants. He did not desire to take extreme measures, but stated that unless an assurance was given by Monday next that the funds of the institution would not be expended in the manner complained of he would instruct counsel to institute proceedings. The reception of the letter caused some amount of surprise, and after discussion it was resolved to inform Mr. Brown that his letter would be considered at the next meeting of the committee.

The monthly returns were tabled, and the secretary stated that 50 new volumes would be ready for issue to-morrow. It was decided to convene a special meeting of the committee for Wednesday next.

WALLSEND CHRISTIAN CONFERENCE.

During the present week a Christian conference, convened by the Wallsend Ministerial Association, has been sitting in the local School of Arts. The Rev. B. Kenny presided throughout, and there was a large attendance on each occasion. The theme of the conference was "Christ's Claim to Master and Lord." The various addresses were interspersed by musical selections.

NEWCASTLE JOCKEY CLUB.

The monthly meeting of the general committee of Newcastle Jockey Club was held at the rooms, Centennial Hotel, to-night. Mr. C. H. Hannell, the president, occupied the chair, and there were also present—Messrs. Moroney, Merewether, Brown, Fisher, and Fleming. The balance-sheet in connection with the recent meeting showed that the profits amounted to nearly £40. It was resolved to hold race meetings on January 1 and 29 next. Mr. Moroney suggested that the services of Mr. Alex. Watt as a member of the committee for upwards of a quarter of a century should be recognised on the occasion of his approaching departure from the district. It was decided to deal with the proposal at the next meeting of the committee.

MINERS' LODGES.

At the monthly meeting of the Seapit Miners' Lodge held last evening it was resolved to donate £3 10s to the engineers on strike in England and £2 10s to the local Benevolent Society. It was reported that 10 miners had declined to contribute towards the funds of the district, and it was decided to post notices intimating that the recommendation of the committee would be enforced. It was stated that the manager had stopped some of the men working on the ground that they had filled away dirty coal, and a deputation was appointed to interview the colliery manager on the matter. The present district officers were nominated for re-election.

At a special meeting of the Waratah Miners' Lodge last night it was resolved to support the proposal of the delegate board to vote a sum of £100 from the general fund to the engineers on strike in England.

HOSPITAL SATURDAY.

The annual Hospital Saturday collection and demonstration, under the auspices of the friendly societies of the district, will take place to-morrow and promises to be a great success. About one hundred and twenty lady collectors have volunteered their services as collectors, and an active and persistent canvass will be carried on from 8.30 a.m. until 10 p.m. During the afternoon there will be a procession of the friendly societies' bands, fire brigades, and Public school cadets; and at 4 p.m. a public meeting will be held on the reserve. The Colonial Secretary and a number of prominent citizens will deliver brief addresses, and a series of resolutions will be submitted. The committee used every endeavour to secure the attendance of the Premier, but without success. The committee of the Friendly Societies' Association will be assisted by several committees of ladies formed in the city and different suburbs. The manager of the Commercial Bank of Sydney has consented to keep his banking premises open during the afternoon and evening.

The ship Argus and the steamer Afrida are expected in the course of a few days to load for the London wool sales.

The Burwood Colliery proprietary has decided to sink a new shaft 15ft. in diameter and 350ft. in depth on the Dartmouth estate.

A classical concert in aid of the funds of the Newcastle Hospital was successfully held in the Hamilton Wesleyan Church to-night.

At the City Court to-day a man named William Booth was committed to take his trial at the sittings of the next Circuit Court on a charge of having assaulted a girl named Ellen Watt.

The financial statement presented at last night's meeting of the Plattsburg Municipal Council showed a credit balance of £37.

A special meeting of the Friendly Societies' Association was held at the Royal Hotel to-night, when the final arrangements were made for to-morrow's demonstration.

PROTECTIONIST MEETINGS.

MEETING AT THE GLEBE.

The members of the Protection Unions of New South Wales have decided to close up their ranks, and to commence, in a period of political calm, a crusade with a view of converting the electors to that principle of political economy. To the Glebe Protection Union is due the honour of inaugurating the crusade last night with a meeting addressed from the balcony of the Australian Youth Hotel, Glebe-street. The attendance of adult males was exceedingly small, but the juvenile portion of the Glebe was in strong evidence.

The president of the Glebe Protection Union, Mr. M'Vey Baird, in opening the proceedings, referred regretfully to the smallness of the attendance, and expressed surprise at the circumstance, because Glebe was, he said, the centre of a large working population which was deeply interested in the establishment of industries.

It was announced that Messrs. O'Sullivan and Price, Ms.L.A., would open the campaign, but when the time came for opening the proceedings, Mr. Price was the only member present. He, therefore, stepped into the breach. He commenced with an academic definition of protection, and then launched into a philippic against the Government for spending £20,000 in the useless work of sand shifting instead of offering inducements to men of capital to establish industries for working up the raw products of the colony, and thus attaining the twofold advantage of employing the people profitably and rendering the colony not only independent of foreign supplies, but in time able to export its surplus manufactures.

The chairman having announced that owing to indisposition Mr. O'Sullivan was unable to be present, the meeting closed with a vote of thanks to Mr. Price.

MEETING AT BALMAIN.

Last night a public meeting was held in the Oddfellows' Hall, Balmain, under the auspices of the National Protection Union, Balmain North branch, and the meeting, which was well attended, was presided over by Alderman A. M. Milne, J.P. (president).

Mr. Thos. Rose, M.L.A., said in accepting the invitation of the Balmain union he had the privilege of addressing the first public meeting after the recent censure debate. To that development there were certain side-lights, different altogether from that shed forth by Mr. M'Gowen. It was well known to them that Mr. Smith had power to grant these leases at the early part of the year, and one of the chief causes of that strike, he thought, was the manner in which those leases had been dealt with. And what necessity existed for writing this minute and for publishing it? The party he was associated with were, of course, charged by the M'Gowen party with siding with the claims of the capitalist. He (the speaker) said that if they thought that the principles they advocated meant simply placing so much more money into the hands of the capitalists, he thought it would not be worth fighting for. They were continually being told that there was a surplus of 300,000 sovereigns; but when the Government were interrogated and asked to initiate a vigorous public works policy they were told they had no money.

Messrs. W. M. Burns, M. J. Raleigh, and Captain Gray also addressed the meeting, and at the conclusion a hearty vote of thanks was conveyed to Mr. Rose and the chairman.

The annual regimental picnic of the New South Wales Artillery took place at Clontarf yesterday. A numerous company, including the Artillerymen, civilians, and their lady friends, went by the Alathea.

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THE "NO-BALLING" OF JONES.

There is probably no game indulged in that has produced more debatable points than cricket; neither is there any that requires less of these to sustain public interest in the game. To go through the various questions from comparatively so recent a period as the first Australian Eleven in England would fill a fairly-sized book. New questions come and go every year, and are more or less disposed of either by altering the rules or by deciding to let them remain as heretofore. But there is one question that has occupied the minds of recognised authorities for very many years past, and may for many years to come, and it is one that legislation cannot provide for, and that is the "no-balling" by the umpire of a bowler who delivers the ball illegally, or, in another word, throws. It is clearly a matter of judgment by the umpire, and therefore one that cannot be appealed against. If the governing body of cricket, the Marylebone Club, lays down distinctly what is a throw, it will even then be a difficult matter for the umpire from his position to be able to say when the bowler throws or bowls. If it were possible to place the umpire broadside with the bowler or in front of him it would not be so difficult a matter, but that is impossible, for there are other circumstances that require the umpire to stand where he usually does, say six or seven yards from and in a line with the wicket. He may be called upon to decide a leg before wicket, a catch at the wicket, or perhaps a bowl, all of which he could not faithfully decide if he were to shift from his present position. It is, therefore, necessary for him to use his best judgment concerning the delivery, and if in his opinion there be any doubt at all the batsman should receive the benefit, and "no-ball" should be called. But from this it can be seen that the umpire is liable to an error in his judgment, and such an error too that means a very great deal to a bowler, especially in England, where it is a livelihood to so many. Of the whole 15 men who are in the field of play the one who is really best able—if it were practicable—to say anything on the movement of the bowler's arm is the opposite batsman, but of course that is out of the question. The square-leg umpire is really in a better position to decide than his fellow official. That being against the rule it is easily seen how difficult it is for an umpire to give a strictly accurate decision. But there are other obstacles in the way. Those who officiate are mostly veterans whose eyesight, unlike good wine, does not improve with old age, but rather like their elasticity in the field has begun to lose its keenness, though of course they have the experience. But the most important obstacle to providing against illegitimate bowling is that most umpires in England in first-class matches are professionals, and so are the bowlers, and the former recognise that if they no-ball a bowler his means of livelihood are gone. "I am not going to take the bread out of any man's mouth," said one of the oldest and most trusted servants of the Marylebone C. C., when questioned by a well-known cricket writer as to why he did not no-ball a bowler who was clearly recognised as a thrower. And take for instance the case of a paid county umpire. If he persistently no-balled one of his own bowlers what would be the result? Either one or the other would have to seek some other employment for a certainty. And hence the great difficulty in England, the fountain head of cricket, in suppressing "chucking," and it is this fact that has caused so much dissension about Phillips's no-balling Jones at Adelaide the other day. Every Australian team in England has had to contend with deliberate throwing. Members of one of the teams playing at Scarborough had lumps knocked off them, and thus maimed and bruised they afforded a subject for a comic-sketch periodical. Mr. D. W. Gregory, who captained the first Australian team that visited England, has named several English bowlers whose deliveries were decidedly open to doubt, and, on the rule that the batsman should have the benefit thereof, should have been no-balled; and amongst them Watson, whose career lasted down to the 1890 team; Summers, who is said to have seriously injured a batsman at Lord's, and was thereafter stopped from bowling fast; and Mortley, who was no-balled by James Lillywhite on one occasion. Another who is said to have thrown is Mycroft, but he did not play against the 1878 Australian team. Mr. T. W. Garrett, who was home in 1878, 1882, and 1886, has vivid recollections of some of the alleged "shyers," amongst whom he classes Crossland, Blackman, Watson, Nash; and in one match in 1882, that against Lancashire, the Australians had two throwers, Crossland and Watson, against them. In the same year, against Sussex, W. L. Murdoch drew the umpire's attention to Blackman's delivery, but it mattered nothing, and Murdoch compiled 286. None of these bowlers were no-balled. Mr. Garrett thinks—as every right-minded man should—that he who throws should be no-balled if there be any doubt at all as to the fairness of the delivery. W. G. Grace has often been heard to say that Peel throws at times. Those who have been to England express the opinion that Kortright is really the only very fast bowler who bowls fairly, and he is faster than Jones. Woodcock is said to throw occasionally, and also Mold and C. B. Fry, while another whose delivery is at times open to doubt is Attewell. It was a habit a few years ago for several of these doubtful bowlers to wear their shirt sleeve with a baloon on it—like the fashionable shoulders amongst the ladies of the present day—fastened at the wrist, and it thus was impossible for the umpire to see the jerk of the elbow, the only means of separating the fair from the unfair delivery. Very often amongst the short-sighted and inexperienced the flick of the wrist—which is quite fair—is taken for an elbow action, especially with those who deliver with a bent arm, the angle at the elbow sometimes being less than a right angle; in fact, there is perhaps not more than one in 20 who have risen to eminence in this department who bowls with the arm straight out. An example of one who did, and who represented Australia, is to be found in S. T. Callaway; but the feature in his bowling was not the amount of work he could get on, but his splendid length. Another who kept his arm straight, could get on more work than most, and is classed amongst the best that Australia has produced, is George Palmer. It is, however, a remarkable thing that a few years ago Lord Harris, in referring to suspicious bowling in England, pointed to Australian bowling as being above question, and now Australia is really the first place where the ice is broken, and an Australian is the victim, and moreover the umpire is he who officiated throughout the 1896 tour in England, and who, though a section of the press regarded Jones's delivery as then unfair, could not then see it. It is quite possible that the South Australian may have altered his style. Whatever the result of this, it is quite certain that Jones will have to run the risk of being noballed at Phillips's end—which may be expected to take much of the pace out of him—or have one end shut up and take his chance from the other end—and this may prove to be a source of weakness to Australia in the test matches. However, time can only tell, and until the great contest takes place it is impossible to say with any degree of certainty what may happen.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE.

The Public Works Committee met yesterday, Mr. T. T. Ewing, M.L.A., presiding, and considered a number of matters. Mr. J. Harper, chief traffic manager of the railways, gave further evidence with regard to the construction of a line from Narrabri to Pilliga. He presented a written statement in respect of the constructed line from Werris Creek to Narrabri. The first section was opened in March, 1879, it was extended to Gunnedah in September of the same year, and was finally completed to Narrabri in October, 1882. Notwithstanding that the line ran through similar country to that of the Narrabri-Moree line, its capital cost per mile was nearly double that of the extension to Moree, which was constructed on the recommendation of the Public Works Committee. Although the line to Narrabri had been weighted down by this very heavy capital cost, it commenced to return a profit in 1884, and had been profitable ever since, the profit in 1896 being £10,498. Mr. Harper pointed out that it was hardly likely that the extension to Pilliga would have such a favourable result, as Pilliga was a much inferior centre to Narrabri. Mr. J. Hay, of the Forestry Branch, gave evidence with regard to a forest reserve near the proposed line.

The committee devoted some time to the proposed line from The Rock to Green's Gunyah, Mr. W. H. Cherry, of the Statistician's Department, being called as a witness. He gave evidence as to the price at Mark-lane, London, of British wheat and imported wheat during the last ten and seven years respectively, the former ranging from 4s 7½d per bushel in 1891 to 2s 10½d in 1894, and the latter from 4s 9½d in 1891 to 2s 10½d in 1894. Mr. Ewing explained why the questions were asked. Some people contended that the time would come when some of the railways would be of no profit because it would not pay to export wheat. They had been told that wheat could be grown in the Riverina for 2s per bushel. If they knew the price in London they could form an idea whether the contention he had mentioned was correct. With a view of further elucidating the matter he asked that Mr. Cherry should endeavour to furnish the committee with the following information:—The price of wheat in New South Wales; the cost of freight and other charges to London from all the Australasian provinces; the charges from Canada, the United States, the Argentine, India, and Russia to London; and the cost of carriage to the ports in those countries.

The expediency of constructing a line of railway from Byrock to Brewarrina was further considered. Mr. G. S. Yeo, of the Stock Branch Department of Mines, was examined.

ST. LUKE'S PARISH FESTIVAL.

The annual parish festival of St. Luke's Church, Burwood and Concord, was held in the parish-hall, Wharf-road, last night. The gathering this year was of more interest on account of its being the last in which Canon Moreton would preside as minister of the parish. At 6.30 about 300 sat down to tea, after which an adjournment was made to the church, where Mr. Gough gave an organ recital. At the termination of the recital the general meeting was held, and the new incumbent (the Rev. W. H. H. Yarrington) welcomed to the parish by the Revs. H. Martin, A. Bellingham Claydon (curate), Messrs. Parry, Mayer, and others. During the meeting Canon Moreton was presented with a purse containing 60 sovereigns, and an illuminated address. The Sunday-school scholars also presented him with a very fine group photograph of himself and the members of the school.

Wolfe's Schnapps acts particularly upon the liver. Those who feel oppressed will find immediate relief by taking a moderate dose Wolfe's Schnapps.—Advt.

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SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

Rouse Race Meeting was yesterday granted registration by the A.J.C.

The two-year-old Vigorous was returned by train yesterday to Sydney, and is the first of our representatives to come home from the V.R.C. meeting.

The programme for the November Meeting of the A.J.C. is announced in our advertising columns. It comprises five events, for which entries close with the acting secretary, Mr. T. R. Evans, up to 4 p.m. on Monday, 15th instant.

Entries for the Moorefield November Meeting close with the secretary, Mr. John Jolly, up to 5 p.m. on Monday, 15th instant. The card, comprising half a dozen events, will be found in the business portion of the paper.

Horseowners and trainers generally should bear in mind that entries for the valuable Villiers Stakes and the Summer Cup close with the acting secretary of the A.J.C., Mr. T. R. Evans, on Monday, the 15th instant. In each instance the nomination fee is only 1 sov. Full particulars can be obtained by reference to our advertising columns.

Stockville was yesterday withdrawn from the Hurdle Race and King Clovis from the Royal Handicap and the High Weight Welter in connection with the Rosehill meeting to-day.

The time for receiving entries for the pony, galloway, and trotting races to be run at Brighton on Monday next has been extended until noon to-day.

V.R.C. SPRING MEETING.

FOURTH (C. B. FISHER PLATE) DAY.

(BY OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

MELBOURNE, Friday.

With every indication of a continuance of the beautifully fine weather experienced on the Oaks Day, a large assemblage may be anticipated at Flemington to-morrow to assist at the closing of the V.R.C. spring reunion, and the programme for the occasion promises to furnish interesting sport. For the Spring Stakes, with which racing commences, Aurum, Amberite, and Fleet Admiral have each incurred a 10lb penalty, and the battle between the crack three-year-olds should result in a win for Aurum, who, since his defeat in the Derby, appears to be coming on, while the reverse seems to be the case with Amberite, and Fleet Admiral should escort them home. Ryde, Novus, and Little Widow read as well as anything for places in the Flemington Stakes, in which Hainault should also run well. Should Coil carry silk in the V.R.C. Handicap he may be trusted to run a great horse; but in his absence places may be occupied by Mischief, The Merry Boy, and Trent, while Alabaculia may be the most dangerous of the others. A good contest may be expected for the Second Steeplechase, in which the brunt of the battle may fall to Vigil, Whernside, and Zanonia. The C. B. Fisher Plate has several good weight-for-age horses engaged in it, including Positano, Coil, Battalion, Fucile, Aurum, Fleet Admiral, Amberite, and Clarion. Should Aurum be kept in reserve for this event he must have a deal to say in the settlement of affairs. Otherwise Coil, Positano, and Battalion may get home as named. The meeting will be brought to a close with the Final Handicap, in which a long list of candidates is engaged, and Majestic, Kallara, and Bundook may attract the attention of the judge in that order, with Elusive or Auraria to effect a surprise. The programme is as follows:—

SPRING STAKES—1½ mile. (1 p.m.)

	st lb		st lb		st lb
Aurum, 10lb penalty	9 6	Fleet Admiral, 10lb penalty	9 6	Correzette	8 5
The Hypnotist	8 10	Amberite, 10lb penalty	9 6		

FLEMINGTON STAKES—4 furlongs 82 yards (1.40 p.m.)

	st lb		st lb		st lb
Essex	10 2	Roscommon	7 12	Stoic	7 2
Symmetry	8 13	Circeo	7 12	Warbreccan	7 2
Hainault	8 11	Ranfurly	7 12	Portree	7 2
Standish	8 9	Great Heart	7 12	Drama	7 0
Ormus	8 9	Alix	7 12	Marie Corelli	6 12
Ryde	8 7	Hephaestus	7 10	Advance	6 11
Canada	8 5	Malatua	7 10	The Saucy Girl	6 7
Little Widow	8 4	Peerage	7 10		
Florence	8 2	Avalon	7 10	Moonshee	6 7
Sparta	8 1	Auriferous	7 8	Lady Portsea	6 7
Cordite	8 0	The Undine	7 7	Egypt	6 7
Novus	7 13	Majesty	7 7	Diffidence	6 7
Carrara	7 13	Lee-Metford	7 7		

V.R.C. HANDICAP—1½ mile (2.45 p.m.).

	st lb		st lb		st lb
Positano	9 7	The Chevalier	7 12	Beau Brummel	6 10
Coil	9 6	Fucile	7 10	Surge	6 7
Gaulus	9 0	Mora	7 10	Rosella	6 7
The Grafter	8 9	Mischief	7 8		
Catspaw	8 6	Devon	7 5	Amnesty	6 7
Bundook	8 3	Dr. Amland	7 1	Nudity	6 7
Trent	7 12	The Hypnotist	6 12	La Carabine	6 7
				Alabaculia	6 7
The Merry Boy	7 12	Manfred	6 12	Luster	6 7

SECOND STEEPLECHASE—About 3 miles (3.45 p.m.)

	st lb		st lb		st lb
Floater	12 12	Montrose	10 10	Songster	9 7
Cedric	12 0	Deverill	10 9	Pot-Shot	9 0
Walter	11 0	Ditto	10 7	The Vicar	9 0
Doondi	11 8	Batanzos	10 5	Grandling	9 0
Vigil	11 6	Albany	10 2	Sprite	9 0
Whernside	11 3	Zanonia	9 10	Queen B.	9 0
Kumerella	11 0	Timoni	9 10		

C. B. FISHER PLATE, w.f.a.—2 miles (4.30 p.m.).

Coil	Manfred	The Merry Boy	Fucile
Metford	La Carabine		Malto
Catspaw	Virtue	The Hypnotist	Clarion
Nor'-East	Battalion		Positano
Toreador	Bloodshot	Amberite	Auraria
Aurum	Fleet Admiral		

FINAL HANDICAP—1¼ mile (5.15 p.m.).

	st lb		st lb		st lb
Ayrshire	9 6	Moonlyong	8 6	Keera	7 1
Gaulus	9 6	Resolute	8 0	Surge	7 0
Auraria	9 4	So-and-So	7 13	Water Color	7 0
Paul Pry	9 4	Canoona	7 12	Nudity	7 0
Parthenopeus	9 4	Acton	7 11	La Carabine	6 12
The Grafter	9 2	Loch Marie	7 7	Amnesty	6 11
Key	8 12	Fitzroy	7 7	Flintlock	6 10
Kallara	8 10	The Hypnotist	7 6	Alabaculia	6 9
Foliage	8 9	Manfred	7 6	Eugene	6 7
Bundook	8 9	Sunbury	7 6	Carbinier	6 7
Pivot	8 7	Majestic	7 6	Pindrie	6 7
Beverley	8 7	Beau Brummel	7 5	White Veil	6 7
Elusive	8 7	Early Morn	7 3	Warsloop	6 7
Bacchus	8 2				
The Chevalier	8 0				

LATEST SCRATCHINGS.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The following scratchings were recorded to-day:—

V.R.C. Handicap.—Metford, Zitella, Wait-a-Bit.

Final Handicap.—Metford, Zitella, Valorous, Wait-a-Bit, Seagirt, So and So.

Flemington Stakes.—Monte Rosa, Sweet Alice, Moorite.

Steeplechase.—Votary.

All engagements.—Delaware.

ROSEHILL RACING CLUB.

The Prince of Wales' Birthday Meeting of the Rosehill Racing Club will be commenced to-day, when an interesting programme of events will be run through. The course is stated to be in good order, the reserves bright and verdant, and the flower plots gay with a profusion of blooms. The fields promise to be large and the quality of the animals good. With the assistance of fine weather there will be every condition required to make the gathering a very enjoyable one. Arrangements have been made by which the results of the last day's racing of the V.R.C. Spring Meeting and the scoring in the international cricket match will be posted in the saddling paddock and the Leger reserve. An efficient service of special trains direct to the course will leave the Redfern station at 12.25, 12.50, 12.55, 1, 1.18, and 1.40 p.m. The horse train will leave at 11.45 a.m. Some of the trains will stop at Strathfield, but the last train of all will pick up passengers at Ashfield. The first event on the programme, the Maiden Handicap, is timed to start at 2 p.m., and Readford, who has repeatedly shown good form, should be able to beat the field opposed to him in it; but Blazon and Flodden should also be handy at the finish. In the Hurdle Race Marie May reads well with 11st 2lb, and her most dangerous opposition may come from Pomeroy and Laddie. The Royal Handicap may probably fall to Oddfellow II., with Town Clock and Greenwell filling the places. The Prince of Wales Handicap should prove the most interesting item in the afternoon's sport. Pasquin, who had rather an unpleasant passage at Canterbury Park last week, should be able, being well served by the gallop, to make amends here; and next to him the most dangerous appear to be Barton, with the handy impost of 6st 7lb, and The Captain. In spite of her 10lb penalty Picture may prove the best of the 10 two-year-olds engaged in the Nursery Handicap, and the places may be filled by Ranjitsinhji and Blue Badge. In the High Weight Welter, the last event of the day, Annadour, Lilydale, and Blacklock may first pass the judge. Subjoined is the programme:—

Maiden Handicap, 6 furlongs.—Carrara, 9st 5lb; Flodden, 8st 10lb; Record, 8st 4lb; Readford, 8st 4lb; Beauvoir, 8st; Clan Alpine, 8st; S. L., 8st; Wingen, 8st; Meantime, 7st 9lb; Turbine, 7st 4lb; Portland, 7st 4lb; Meddlesome, 7st 4lb; Spring Gun, 7st 4lb; Blazon, 7st 2lb; Fassifern, 7st 2lb; Heliobes, 7st 2lb; Good News, 7st; Proudfoot, 7st; Stoddart, 7st; Hilda, 6st 10lb.

Hurdle Race, 2 miles.—Crysalite, 11st 12lb; J.B.C., 11st 2lb; Goldstein, 11st 2lb; Marie May, 11st 2lb; Blacklock II., 11st 2lb; Pomeroy, 10st 5lb; Mimosa, 10st 5lb; Laddie, 9st 4lb; Aboriginal, 9st 4lb; Alarm Bell, 9st 4lb; Longford, 9st 4lb; Runnimede, 9st; Branxton, 9st; Worry, 9st; Falmont 9st; Slowboy, 9st; Linstock, 9st.

Royal Handicap, 6 furlongs.—Australian, 9st 5lb; Town Clock, 8st 12lb; Oddfellow II., 8st 10lb; Blue Vest, 8st 7lb; Saries, 8st 2lb; Cherry, 8st 2lb; Greenwell, 8st 2lb; Tripos, 7st 12lb; Carrara, 7st 12lb; Eos, 7st 6lb; Gird, 7st 4lb; Scoria, 6st 7lb; Daphne, 6st 7lb; Faugh-a-Ballagh, 6st 7lb; Cesario, 6st 7lb; Bangle, 6st 7lb.

Prince of Wales Handicap, 1 mile 3 furlongs.—Aurea, 9st 8lb; Newman, 8st 12lb; The Captain, 8st 5lb; Pasquin, 7st 5lb; Cromaboo, 7st 5lb; Braeburn, 7st 3lb; Barton, 6st 7lb; Wingello, 6st 7lb; Valour, 6st 7lb.

Nursery Plate, 5 furlongs.—Ranjitsinhji, 8st 3lb; Blue Badge, 8st; Rosebud, 8st; Madeline, 8st; Allhater, 8st; Picture, 8st 10lb, including 10lb penalty; Leemorna, 8st; Themis, 8st; Glow, 8st; Vermilion, 8st.

High Weight Mile.—Australian, 10st 7lb; Lady Tremville, 9st 9lb; Bona Fide, 9st 6lb; Englo, 9st 6lb; Annadour, 9st; J.B.C., 9st; Voyou, 8st 6lb; Lilydale, 8st 6lb; Rosalind, 8st 6lb; Blacklock, 8st 2lb; Contempt, 8st; Fassifern, 8st; Blazon, 8st.

ROSEBERY PARK PONY AND GALLOWAY RACES.

The pony and galloway races held at Rosebery Park yesterday were well attended. The following are the results:—

Fourteen-three Handicap, 4½ furlongs.—Discombe, 8st 1lb (J. Smith), 1; Polly II., 8st 12lb, 2; Federation, 8st 13lb, 3. Eleven started. Betting: 6 to 4 on Federation, 2 to 1 v. Discombe. Won by a head. Time, 1 minute ⅗ second.

Thirteen Hands Handicap, 3½ furlongs.—Yettonga, 7st 8lb (Hughes), 1; Lilian, 7st, 2; Lady Mulgrave, 7st 8lb, 3. Five started. Betting: 6 to 4 on Yettonga, 6 to 4 v. Lady Mulgrave, 5 to 1 v. Eurobin, 8 to 1 v. Lilian. Won by two lengths. Time, 46½ seconds.

Fourteen-two Handicap, 4 furlongs.—Lolo, 8st 1lb (Fanning), 1; The Echo, 8st 2lb, 2; Laneva, 10st 1lb, 3. Thirteen started. Betting: 2 to 1 each v. Curiosity and Laneva, 4 to 1 each Tell T'le and Ina, 6 to 1 v. Lolo. Won by a neck. Time, 52½ seconds.

Fourteen-one Handicap, 4 furlongs.—Camerton, 7st 10lb (Whitbread), 1; F.W., 8st 4lb, 2; Netta, 7st 13lb, 3. Eight started. Betting: Even money on Camerton, 3 to 1 v. Sweetheart II., 5 to 1 v. Rodanthe. Won by two lengths. Time, 51½ seconds.

Rosebery Handicap, about 7½ furlongs.—Glen Vire, 10st 1lb (Crockett), 1; Morpheus, 9st 12lb, 2; Polly II., 7st 13lb, 3. Ten started. Betting: 5 to 2 v. Martini, 3 to 1 v. Morpheus, 4 to 1 each v. Polly II. and Kaloola, 5 to 1 each v. Manilla and Glen Vive. Won by two lengths. Time, 1 minute 40 seconds.

MOONEY VALLEY RACES.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

A race meeting was held at Moonee Valley this afternoon in fine cool weather, and there was an excellent attendance. Ray and Nora Creina were supposed to have the best chances in the Hurdle Race, but the winner turned up in Goldfinder, who started at a remunerative price. Odds were laid on Cordite for the Two-year-old Handicap, which was never left in doubt; but Loch Marie's victory in the Turkeith Handicap was rather lucky. Hera, when leading, was running wide and letting her up on the inside. It was a great race, heads only dividing the placed horses. A short price was taken about Courtier for the Steeplechase, but he met with defeat from the outsider O.K. Legs had a slight call of Rosella in the Jumpers' Flat Race, but both were beaten by Boyton. Evens was accepted about Eirsdale for the Monomeith Handicap, but he failed to get a place, and Miss Gladstone, unbacked by her owners, won a good race from Arden and Damien. The results are as follows:—

Hurdle Race.—Goldfinder (Laverty), 1; Earlston (Mooney), 2; Nora Creina (J. E. Brewer), 3. Nine started. Won by a length and a half.

Two-Year-Old Handicap.—Cordite (J. Anwin), 1; Ryde (H. Cook), 2; Egypt (Flowers), 3. Six started. Won by a length and a half.

Turkeith Handicap.—Loch Marie (H. Cook), 1; Quickshot (T. Rogers), 2; Hera (Pearson), 3. Ten started. Won by a head. The same between second and third.

Steeple.—O. K. (Griffin), 1; Courtier (Sutherland), 2; Marigold (Wilcox), 3. Seven started. Won by 10 lengths.

Jumpers' Flat Race.—Boyton (Leemy), 1; Rosella (J. E. Brewer), 2; Legs (Hoysted), 3. Nine started. Won by a length and a half.

Monomeith Handicap.—Miss Gladstone (Flowers), 1; Arden (Foster), 2; Damien (Holmes), 3. Seven started. Won by half a length.

NORTHERN JOCKEY CLUB.

WEST MAITLAND, Friday.

The following weights have been allotted for the principal handicaps in connection with the Northern Jockey Club Meeting, which takes place on the 9th and 10th instant:—

Flying Handicap, 6 furlongs.—Town Clock, 9st 5lb; Kilkenny, 8st 6lb; Voma, 7st 13lb; Punchestown, 7st 11lb; Ovid, 7st 9lb; Jacinth, 7st 8lb; Chance, 7st 7lb; Archer, 7st 3lb; Antimony, 7st 2lb; Betsy Prig, 6st 12lb; Dapple, 6st 12lb.

Park Stakes, 6 furlongs.—Jerry, 9st 5lb; Manxman, 9st 3lb; Jack Tar, 8st 10lb; Dapple, 8st 9lb; Alceste, 8st 6lb; Nicodemus, 8st; Avoca, 7st 12lb; Duckenfield, 7st 9lb; Twilight, 7st 9lb; Otha, 7st 7lb.

Birthday Handicap, 1 mile 1 furlong.—Glendennon, 9st 9lb; Agate, 9st 2lb; Tryon, 8st 9lb; Toxteth, 8st 8lb; Croaginalong, 7st 10lb; Voma, 7st 9lb; Combewood, 7st 6lb; Jack the Robber, 7st 1lb; Ovid, 7st; B.K., 6st 12lb; Betsy Prig, 6st 7lb; Beware, 6st 7lb.

Members' Handicap, 6 furlongs.—Punchestown, 11st 10lb; Chance, 11st 4lb; Peveril, 10st 10lb; Enquirer, 10st 8lb; Casino, 10st 7lb; Aroma, 10st 5lb; Myrmidon, 10st 2lb; Novice, 9st 7lb.

Flying Welter, 7 furlongs.—Baldwin, 10st; Voma, 9st 4lb; Combewood, 9st; Jerry, 8st 12lb; Manxman, 8st 10lb; Jack the Robber, 8st 8lb; Lyoness, 8st 7lb; Antimony, 8st 5lb; Scipio, 8st 3lb; Jack Tar, 8st 3lb; Navigate, 8st 2lb; Avoca, 7st 7lb.

Rutherford Handicap, 1 mile.—Glendennon, 9st 10lb; Agate, 9st 3lb; Town Clock, 9st 2lb; Tryon, 8st 10lb; Toxteth, 8st 9lb; Croaginalong, 7st 11lb; Voma, 7st 10lb; Kilkenny, 7st 10lb; Jacinth, 7st 7lb; Combewood, 7st 7lb; Ovid, 7st 4lb; Ki Wi, 7st 4lb; Jack the Robber, 7st 2lb; Manxman, 7st 2lb; B.K., 7st; Antimony, 6st 13lb; Scipio, 6st 12lb; Beware, 6st 7lb; Betsy Prig, 6st 7lb.

MOSS VALE RACES.

MOSS VALE, Friday.

The annual race meeting under the auspices of the Oddfellows' Friendly Society, will be held at Wingecarribee course here next Tuesday, the Prince of Wales's Birthday. The entrances and handicaps for the various events are as follows:—

Flying Handicap.—Fortress, 10st 10lb; Review, 10st 6lb; Waltzer, 10st; Cinderella, 8st 6lb; The Gambler, 7st 8lb; Raven, 7st; Galtee More, 7st.

Trial Stakes.—Gambler, 8st 13lb; Fairlight, 8st 11lb; Jack Robertson, 8st 11lb; Galtee More, 7st 11lb.

Oddfellows' Handicap.—Review, 9st 12lb; Fortress, 9st 10lb; Waltzer, 9st 6lb; Cinderella, 7st 10lb; The Gambler, 7st 5lb; Raven, 6st 10lb; Galtee More, 6st 9lb.

Farewell Handicap.—Fortress, The Gambler, Cinderella, Galtee More, Raven, Waltzer, Jack Robertson, Fairlight.

N.S.W. AMATEUR SPORTS CLUB.

The monthly meeting, consisting of the delegates of the contributing clubs, was held, under the presidency of Mr. F. W. C. Crane, on Wednesday evening. The following members were elected:—Messrs. R. J. Burke (A.S.A.), J. Padley (H.S.C.), Thomas Fanning (E.S.C.), W. Bardsley (P.S.A.A.A.), S. V. Donnelly (E.S.S.C.), E. A. Kentish (D.H.), O. S. Turnbull (E.S.C.), E. A. Osmond (D.H.), P. M'William (E.S.S.C.), A. Yeldham (S.B.C.), F. A. Kelly (E.S.S.C.).

CYCLING.

THE LEAGUE'S CARNIVAL.

The final day's racing of the league's carnival takes place this afternoon on the Agricultural Ground. The proceedings commence at 2.30 with the Hampden Plate, which is over a distance of a mile. The prizes are £15, £5, £3, and the heat winners get 10s each. Should the day be void of wind it looks as if the scratch men will have a great chance. The final of the Sydney Wheel Race, the first prize for which is £200, has created a lot of interest during the week, and opinions as to who the winner will be have varied almost every day. Even among the best of judges and the competitors themselves hardly two seem to agree. Megson is the only man on scratch, the nearest to him being Hunt, on 60 yards. This is somewhat unfortunate for Megson, for the manner in which Hunt won his heat shows that he is in excellent form. All the other men in the final are only separated from one another by five or ten yards, so that the race is bound to be a good one right through.

Platt-Betts' contribution will be an exhibition five miles, in which as usual he will be paced by a number of multicycles. The International Scratch Race of 10 miles will bring out an enormous field, and a large number of men are going out for the pacing prizes, which are given as 5s per lap. For a scratch race there are altogether too many men in it, 37 names appearing on the programme. Should no accident happen, Megson should get his revenge on Walne and Green. The programme will close with the Final Handicap of three miles, for which there are 92 men on the programme. It is the largest field that has been put down for one race in this colony. Special trams and 'buses will run at frequent intervals to the ground from Bent-street and from the railway station.

PLATT-BETTS BREAKS THE MILE RECORD OF AUSTRALASIA.

Platt-Betts, the record-breaker, made a successful attempt on the mile record of Australasia yesterday afternoon on the Sydney Cricket Ground track. The former record was held by himself, and stood at 1 minute 45 seconds; but he put those figures altogether in the shade yesterday, riding the mile in 1 minute 40 seconds. After seeing Betts's former attempt on the evening before, when his quint went wrong, we predicted in these columns that Betts would bring the record down to 1 minute 40 seconds, and this he did. The evening was a perfect one for record-breaking, there being hardly a breath of wind. Only two pacing machines were used, a quint and a triplet, and then the triplet could have been done without. About 6.40 p.m. Betts came out. He went for three laps for a breather, and then got away to a flying start behind the quint. The first quarter was ticked off in 25 seconds, which is two-fifths of a second outside the Australasian record held by Relph, another English rider, who rode the quarter in 24 3-5 seconds in Victoria on May 20 this year. The half-mile was left behind in 49 seconds, which beats the former record of 50 1-5 seconds, held by himself, by 1 1-5 second. The time for the three-quarters of a mile was 1 minute 14 1-5 seconds, which is an Australasian record for the distance; and the mile was accomplished in the time of 1 minute 40 seconds dead, beating the former record, which was held by himself, by five seconds. The quint took him the whole way, the triplet joining in in the last lap, and pacing the quint home. The quint was ridden by O. S. Prowse, R. Mutton, W. Davison, F. A. Prowse, and D. Harvison, and it is certain that this team could hold its own with any in the world. Since Betts's arrival in Australia, which was only a month ago, he has knocked eight seconds off the mile Australasian record in two attempts, besides capturing all records, bar the quarter, up to five miles. The Australasian mile record is, as it now stands, only 4 3-5th seconds outside the world's record, held by J. W. Stocks, at 1 minute 35 2-5th seconds, put up on the Crystal Palace track in September last, and this time Betts says he can lower on the new track which has just been constructed in Melbourne. Considering the short time that Betts has been in Australia his record-breaking performances are marvellous, and it looks as if he will break all the world's records when he is properly in form. Mr. W. T. Kerr, the official timekeeper of the league, took the times, and several other watches were brought into use, making the same time exactly. There must have been fully 300 people present to witness the performance, and at the conclusion of his splendid ride Platt-Betts was accorded a hearty cheer. All the league officials were present.

WARATAH ROVERS' BICYCLE CLUB.

The Waratah Rovers' Bicycle Club will hold their usual billy run this afternoon to Bankstown. Members are requested to provide refreshments for two persons, and the possessors of "billy cans" are requested to bring them.

The run for Prince of Wales' Birthday is to Manly, via the bridges, meeting at the Crystal-street bridge, Petersham, at 9 a.m. sharp.

CRICKET.

THE LOCAL COMPETITIONS.

In consequence of the Eleven and Next Fifteen Match to-day there will be no first-grade matches. The second-grade fixtures will be continued, and are—Randwick v. Waverley, at Waverley; Balmain v. St. George, at Balmain; Manly v. Burwood, at Burwood; Leichhardt v. Redfern, at Redfern; Paddington v. North Sydney, at North Sydney; South Sydney v. Glebe, at Glebe; Central Cumberland v. East Sydney, at Parramatta.

ENGLAND v. VICTORIA.

The Englishmen commence the second match of their campaign to-day against a Victorian eleven at Melbourne, and considerable interest is being taken locally in the contest. As the Englishmen appeared to revel in the South Australian slow or medium bowling it is thought that against the Victorians, who do not possess a lightning-like bowler of the Jones's stamp, some remarkably fast scoring will be registered. The details of the play will be posted in front of the "Herald" at frequent intervals.

SYDNEY CRICKET GROUND.

Several special notices appear in our issue of to-day which are of importance to intending members, notably the one stating that the entrance fee will be increased to £2 2s after the 9th of this month, and that the number of members will be limited so as not to exceed the accommodation. The number of members already enrolled for the present season, which only started on the 1st of last month, exceeds those for the whole of any previous season, and is a record to date.

Another notice states that boys and children, unless members, will not, for any reason whatever, be admitted to the members' stand or ladies' pavilion.

Special efforts are being made by the ground authorities to give increased comforts to members and visitors, and recently several improvements have been effected by which the public will be greatly benefited. In the members' reserve a large additional pavilion has been erected, with a very large dining-room, and a kitchen replete with every modern appliance has been built, so that luncheons may be served satisfactorily, and this will be a fresh boon to members.

The ground will be occupied to-day and Tuesday next by the match Metropolitan Eleven v. Next Fifteen, and as the form displayed will be taken into consideration when the selection committee is picking the team to meet the Englishmen on Friday next some good cricket should be witnessed. The eleven is an excellent one, while the fifteen includes all of our rising players, with an old one here and there to steady it. Play will commence at 2 p.m. to-day and 11 a.m. on Tuesday.

SPORTS FIXTURES, SEASON 1897-98.

The following are the fixtures for the present season:—

1897.—November 6, New South Wales Eleven v. Next 15; 9, New South Wales Eleven v. Next 15; 12 to 16, England v. New South Wales; 20 and 27, South Sydney v. Paddington; 20 and 27, Waverley v. Paddington, second grade (new ground). December 4, Waverley v. Paddington; 10 to 14, England v. Australia (first test); 18, Waverley v. Paddington.

1898.—January 1, Highland Society of New South Wales Gathering; 8 and 15, Leichhardt v. South Sydney, first grade (new ground); 22 to 26, New South Wales v. Victoria; 29, South Sydney v. Redfern. February 4, England v. New South Wales (return match); 12, South Sydney v. Redfern; 18, New South Wales v. South Australia; 25, England v. Australia (fifth test). March 5 and 12, Central Cumberland v. South Sydney; 5 and 12, Paddington v. Burwood, second grade (new ground); 19 and 26, Paddington v. Redfern, first grade (new ground). April 2 and 16, Paddington v. Leichhardt; 2 and 16, Redfern v. Waverley, second grade (new ground); 23 and 30, final round, cricket competition.

SCHOOLS' CHAMPIONSHIP.

In the second round of the badge competition of Public schools the Church of England Grammar School and Newington College met on Wednesday last on the North Sydney oval. The visitors batted first, but made an indifferent stand against the bowling of White, who took five wickets for 12 runs, and were all disposed of for 94. The Church of England Grammar School made a bad start, White and Levick being dismissed for 2 each. Holdsworth, who went in first, however, kept going, and with the assistance of Holterman, Rundle, and Lyne carried the total to 132, the first-named carrying out his bat, after having seen the whole side dismissed, for an excellent 50. In its second venture Newington forced the scoring, Campbell and Phillips hitting out vigorously for 41 and 26 respectively; Brown and Dansey were also responsible for an additional 51, the latter being not out 25 when the innings was declared closed for 130 with three wickets down. With but half an hour to play the school sent in Holdsworth and White, who played out time, the score being 49 for no wickets, White 35, Holdsworth 8. The school therefore won on the first innings by 38 runs. For the winners White took five wickets for 48, Holdsworth three for 55, Blaxland two for 50, and Holterman two for 19; while for Newington Tatafu (3), Brown (2), Wilson (2), Best (1), Calder (1), and Campbell (1) bowled most successfully.

The second elevens of the same schools met at Newington, the collegians beating the Grammar School boys by 172 runs. The scores were:—C.E.G.S., 44 (Jaques 11); Newington, 216 (Bowman 58 retired, Wade 51, Young 34, Orton 20, Harris 18).

The third elevens played in the C. of E.G.S. grounds, North Sydney, and Newington was beaten by three wickets and 66 runs. Scores:—Newington, 98 (Collis 29, Ula 25); C.E.G.S., seven wickets for 164 (Hargrave 47 not out, Waine 43, Adams 15, Binny 14, Marshall 10 not out). For the school Reid took seven wickets and Adams three.

SCHOOLS' PREMIERSHIP.

The Sydney Grammar School practically secured this for the year 1897 by defeating the King's School on Wednesday afternoon. As it has now won all five matches played, a defeat by Newington College next Wednesday would not affect the ultimate result. Against King's School the Grammar School put up 179 (Sharp 60, Drummond 29, Garnsey 24, and Browne 19). In the absence of Middleton, most wickets were secured by Dight and Body. King's school replied with 134 (Verge 45, C. Body 33, F. Body 27). For Sydney Grammar School Garnsey took six for 56. The fielding of the King's School was excellent throughout, while the Sydney Grammar School were very weak in this department, though Delohry did some good work behind the wicket.

Imps and Electric played on Wednesday on Rolfern Park, and the result was a draw. The former made 233 (Diamond 65, Stubbins 41, Rogers not out 61). Electric, five for 86 (Hincby not out 22, Partridge 17, Brown 13). Newell with six for 91, Partridge two for 21, did the bowling, and for the Imps Hannigan and Stubbins.

Mosman played the Oaks at Moss Vale, the match ending in a draw. Mosman, 75 (Todder 26 not out, Buist 12) and 35 (Spearer 12, J. Alderson 10); The Oaks, 25 and three for 28 (Austin 14). The bowling for Mosman was done by W. and J. Alderson, and for The Oaks by J. Swanson, E. Swanson, and W. Austin.

Tooth and Co., Limited, defeated United Insurance Company. Tooth and Co., 60 (T. H. Finn 18, W. Brewster 12); United Insurance Company, 57 (W. Dean 19, Fox 10). For Tooth and Co. Finn secured six and Cockbaine four wickets; and F. Corkhill and Fox did the bowling for United Insurance Company.

St. Matthew's, Botany, defeated St. Stephen's Church Lads' Brigade, Newtown, on the former's ground, by 58 runs. St. Matthew's, 71 (F. Tollis 24, Baker 21 not out, Bowden 10); St. Stephen's, 13 and seven for 17. The bowling for the winners was done by Albert Lupton and A. M'Burney, and for the losers by Langeshwerdt and Loise.

A cricket match, Manly v. Town Hall, was played at Manly Oval on Wednesday, when Town Hall scored 88, and Manly 251. For Town Hall, Gordon made 16, R. Holmes 14, E. Holmes 21, Watson 12 not out; and for Manly, J. Meaney 64, H. Lloyd 46, H. Whiddon (retired) 41, E. H. Storey (retired) 41. H. Whiddon and Harris Woods bowled for Manly, the former sending down 10 overs for 41 runs and five wickets, the latter 10 overs for 35 runs and four wickets.

LAWN TENNIS.

UNION RECREATION CLUB (STRATHFIELD).

A large number of members attended the annual meeting of the abovenamed club, which was held on the 28th ultimo at the clubhouse, Strathfield. Mr. D. W. Roxburgh, vice-president, presided, and in moving the adoption of the annual report, pointed out to the members present the satisfactory condition the club was now in, and that during the year a large sum of money had been spent in improving the ground. The office-bearers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:—President, Mr. James Inglis; vice-presidents, Messrs. J. C. Smith, F. A. Oatley, and F. D. Kent; hon. treasurer, Mr. O. Dimelow; hon. secretary, Mr. C. Little; committee, Messrs. F. B. Rolin, T. R. Allt, H. S. Bird, T. W. Garrett, D. W. Roxburgh, P. V. Ross, S. R. Walford, John Williams, and Dr. Fairfax Reading; auditors, Messrs. J. C. Remington and E. B. M'Kenny.

A vote of thanks was passed to the retiring officers, special mention being made of the great energy Mr. C. L. Cowper had displayed as president in promoting the club's interests on every opportunity. The ladies who had so generously assisted in carrying out the club ball were also thanked. Mr. T. R. Allt, who won the bowling championship for the year, was presented with the club's medal, and Mr. John Williams, the energetic bowling secretary, was the recipient of a handsomely mounted pair of captain's bowls presented by the chairman on behalf of the bowlers of the club. Mr. Wilfred Blaxland is the holder of the tennis captaincy for the year, and is entitled to hold the club's shield. Mr. John Williams is the honorary bowling secretary and Mr. S. A. Thompson the honorary tennis secretary for the ensuing year.

PIGEON SHOOTING.

The sixth competition for a Cashmore gun, to be won twice, presented through Messrs. M'Lean Brothers and Rigg, took place at the N.S.W. Gun Club grounds yesterday. The previous winners were Messrs. M'Intosh, *Comleroi, H. J. Merewether, *Herbert, and E. A. Merewether. At the end of the ninth round Messrs. W. Eales (25), *Linden (28), and *A. Greener (23) were the only ones to account for all their birds. *Mr. A. Greener lost the eleventh, *Linden the twelfth, and W. Eales killing he secured a "leg in." Other competitors were:—*Comleroi (27), seven; Richardson (24), three; *Herbert (30), three; *Cooma (25), three; C. T. Roberts (21), three; G. R. M'Intosh (26), three; H. Garratt (31), two; A. J. Usher (22), nil. Sweeps were shot off as follows:—First sweep: Messrs. W. Eales, Comleroi, and M'Intosh, divided with six kills. Second sweep: Messrs. Richardson and M'Intosh divided with four kills. Third sweep: Messrs. Cooma, Greener, and M'Intosh, divided with four kills. Fourth sweep: Messrs. Garratt, Usher, and A. Greener, divided with four kills. Fifth sweep: Usher won outright with seven kills.

*Assumed names.

AQUATICS.

ROYAL SYDNEY YACHT SQUADRON.

The first race on the programme of the Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron will be sailed this afternoon, for prizes valued at £10, £5, and £3, being first, second, and third respectively. The conditions of the race are:—Forty 1 sft canvas, any topsails, no extra sails. The yachts entered, with their respective handicaps, are as follows:—Thelma (Dr. M'Cormick), scratch; Isea (Mr. W. Marks), 8 minutes; Jess, (Mr. A. A. Griffiths), 9 minutes; Herreschoff (Mr. James Cox), 13 minutes; Actea (Mr. F. Woolcott-Waley), and Bronzewing (Mr. H. M. Cockshott), each 14 minutes; Mabel (Mr. P. Newman), 20 minutes; and Lah Loo (Mr. W. H. Murrell), 23 minutes. The course will be from a flying start at 2 p.m. from a line between the starter's boat and H.M.S. Orlando's buoy, down to and round the squadron's buoy at Manly, round Shark Island and Fort Denison, thence again round Shark Island and back to the finish between a flagboat and the southern end of Fort Denison. The squadron's steamer, Sir William Wallace, will convey members and their friends, leaving the floating jetty, Circular Quay, at 1.45 p.m. punctually.

THE YACHT JESS.

The yacht Jess, which was recently purchased by Mr. A. A. Griffiths, has undergone a change of rig; also several other alterations have been effected, under the direction of Mr. Walter Reeks, which should tend materially to increase the speed of this comfortable craft. W. M. Ford, jun., has had the yacht in hand, and when launched recently her appearance was to the nautical eye most pleasing. Captain Wrixton is fitting all the standing and running gear, which appears to be equal to anything imported. Instead of the lug sails hitherto carried, the Jess will appear under cutter rig. Her spars are approximately:—Mast, deck to hounds, 31ft.; boom, 38ft.; gaff, 26ft.; topmast, 16ft.; bowsprit, 11ft. 6in. outboard, with a spinnaker boom about 22ft. Dudley is supplying the sails. An innovation here has been introduced. Instead of the ordinary roping, wire neatly covers will be used for luff-ropes, &c. This should enable them to stand better than usual, provided the sails have been previously stretched. The Jess is now painted black, and she will make her first appearance under the new conditions in the R.S.Y.S. race this afternoon.

Mr. W. M. Cameron, Vice-commodore of the Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron, is a passenger by the R.M.S. Moana, due here to-morrow from San Francisco. Mr. Cameron has been touring the Continent for several months past. Many of his numerous friends will no doubt be at the wharf to welcome him on arrival.

SWIMMING.

N.S.W.A.S.A.

A meeting of the council of the Swimming Association was held at the clubroom on Thursday, with Mr. James Taylor in the chair. The report of the permit and standing committee with reference to holding an association carnival was adopted. The report recommended that in view of the risk attendant upon the venture it was not considered advisable to hold the carnival, but for the purpose of procuring funds and to send representatives to New Zealand it was decided to hold a concert or variety entertainment prior to the team's departure, and in case of this not proving a financial success to make a levy on each affiliated club. The report further recommended that four men be sent to New Zealand, and that it was not thought necessary to send a water polo team nor one man solely for the plunging championship.

The voting for the New South Wales championships for current season resulted as follows:—

100 Yards.—Government Printing Office beat Palace Emporium by 13 votes to 12.

440 Yards.—Bathurst beat Palace Emporium by 15 votes to 10.

880 Yards.—Eastern Suburbs beat East Sydney by 13 votes to 12.

The Rockdale Club was the only applicant for Flying Squadron, and that event was allotted to it.

The Government Printing Office Swimming Club opened the season with two races on Wednesday night in the Natatorium, Mr. A. B. M'Nab officiated as starter and timekeeper, and Mr. A. Stafford as judge. The following were the results:—

Sixty-six Yards Members' Handicap.—First heat: W. Johns, 1; K. Chambers, 2; R. Hunter, 3. Second heat: C. A. Vaughan, 1; W. Street, 2; R. Myles, 3. Third heat: A. Dunn, 1; W. Clarke, 2; J. Miles, 3. Final: C. A. Vaughan, 1; W. Johns, 2.

200 Yards Scratch Race (for the captaincy of the club).—P. Quill, 1; J. Powell, 2. K. Chambers also started, but retired in the fourth lap. Won by a yard. Time, 3 minutes 15 2-5 seconds.

The Enterprise Club brought off 100 Yards Club Handicap on Thursday evening at the Natatorium. The handicapping being very good caused some exciting finishes. The final resulted as follows:—J. Regan, 9 seconds, 1; J. Darcy, 25 seconds, 2; C. Madden, 12 seconds, 3. Time, 1 minute 7 seconds.

NEWTOWN POLICE COURT.

Charge of Uttering Counterfeit Coin.—At the Newtown Police Court yesterday before Mr. Macfarlane, D.S.M., Edward Fielding, aged 16, was charged with having uttered a counterfeit coin representing a half-crown to William Henry Bates, at Newtown, on the 4th instant, well knowing the same to be a counterfeit. The evidence showed that Mr. Bates, who is a news agent carrying on business at King-street, Newtown, on Thursday afternoon had occasion to leave his shop for a few minutes. While he was absent his daughter, about 9 years old, was left in charge. The accused, who was an occasional customer, entered the shop and purchased a packet of cigarettes, tendering the supposed half-crown in payment. The girl gave him 2s 3d in change. Accused was committed to take his trial at the next Court of Quarter Sessions at Darlinghurst, and was allowed bail.

Employees in Dispute.—At the Newtown Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Macfarlane, D.S.M., Lancelot Watson proceeded against John Amos Keys on a charge of assault. The evidence of the prosecutor was that he was foreman at Peacock's jam factory. The defendant was also employed there as carter. On the 30th ultimo witness and defendant had a few words, whereupon the defendant struck plaintiff in the mouth, knocked several teeth out, and cut his lip and mouth. The defendant stated that he had been employed at the factory for 18 years. On this particular day he had received permission from the proprietor to have a holiday. Watson in his position as foreman was annoyed because he had not been consulted by witness as to the holiday instead of the proprietor, and he therefore refused to allow witness to go. He became enraged and made a blow at witness. Witness warded the blow off and then struck at him, but only in self-defence. The defendant was ordered to pay a fine of 1s, but also to pay £2 6s 10d costs of complainant, in default two months' imprisonment.

THE Y.M.C. ASSOCIATION.

The annual week of prayer for young men will be held from November 14 to 21. Two special addresses will be given—one "The Greatest Question in the World" by Mr. W. H. Salmon, M.A., travelling secretary of the Students' Christian Federation, and the other by the Rev. W. M. Dill Macky, "The Spirit's Power for Service."

On Thursday evening the monthly meeting of the workers of the association was held, the general secretary presiding. Encouraging reports were presented from all departments.

At the monthly meeting of the committee of management, held on Tuesday evening, the reports presented were of an enthusiastic character. Mr. E. K. Satchell presided.

The final meeting of the executive of the ladies' auxiliary in connection with the recent record reign fair was held on Monday evening, Mrs. E. L. Jones presiding. The general secretary presented a financial statement, which showed that the receipts were £325 17s, the subscriptions £36, and the expenses £33, leaving a credit balance of £328 17s. The ladies promised to help at the annual Christmas breakfast for destitute young men.

The association has received a present from Mr. William Buckingham of 40 bound volumes of Spurgeon's sermons.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR.

The quarterly rally of the West Sydney and district local Christian Endeavour Union was held in the Primitive Methodist Church, Forest Lodge, on Monday, and was very numerously attended, the building being full. The president (the Rev. James Buchan, M.A.) occupied the chair, and gave a short address. The model constitution for local unions was adopted by the meeting. The Revs. H. Clark and J. Woodhouse were elected vice-presidents. Addresses were given by the Revs. T. E. Clouston, B.A., and J. E. Metcalfe; and Mr. Massingham also took part in the proceedings. Nine societies were represented.

SALVATION ARMY.

Mrs. Booth has so far recovered as to permit of her again undertaking public work. Next Friday the long-delayed midnight supper to the unfortunates will take place. On Thursday night last she made herself acquainted with the conditions under which many of those girls live, and also visited some of the Chinese opium dens. It is probable that the rescue work in Sydney will be reorganised.

On Candidates' Sunday 83 men and women were asked for in New South Wales to go into training to become officers. One hundred and four offered themselves for the work.

Commandant Booth returned to Melbourne on Monday last. Yesterday he proceeded to Adelaide.

MR. COPELAND AND THE DEPUTY-SPEAKER.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—As the unpleasantness which occurred on Wednesday night between Mr. Copeland and the Deputy-Speaker was again referred to yesterday by Mr. Copeland in a most unfair manner, and as Mr. M'Court is not in a position to defend himself, I shall ask for space to say a few words on the matter. The facts are these: As soon as Mr. Sydney Smith had finished his speech but before he had time to resume his seat both Mr. Copeland and Mr. Price sprang to their feet, and as Mr. Copeland had already spoken the Deputy-Speaker called Mr. Price. Mr. Copeland, however, remained standing, and kept on saying something about wanting to ask a question, but Mr. M'Court having called Mr. Price, held quite properly that that gentleman had the floor. Then Mr. Lyne showed his good taste and knowledge of Parliamentary procedure by speeding for the Speaker; evidently thinking that there is an appeal to the Speaker from his deputy. Everyone with even an elementary knowledge of procedure knows that the Deputy-Speaker while in the chair is the Speaker; but whenever Mr. Copeland and Mr. Lyne get mixed up in questions of procedure they flounder about like elephants in a bog. The Speaker, of course, snubbed Mr. Lyne by telling him that it was not his province to give an opinion on the conduct of his deputy, and the House showed as clearly as it could that from first to last Mr. M'Court acted exactly as he should in refusing,

I am, &c.,

Legislative Assembly. ARTHUR GRIFFITH.

VERNACULAR NAMES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—From the statement contained in the letter of Mr. A. Ellice-Flint in your issue of the 3rd instant it would appear that the printed specimen labels in this museum were devoid of their vernacular names. Such is not the case, as your correspondent could have seen.

For the last three years, since our labels have been printed, they have been rendered as legible and as simple as possible. I am, &c.,

JAMES C. COX, M.D.,

Australian Museum, Nov. 5. Chairman.

A concert was given to the inmates of Gladesville Hospital on Thursday evening by the members of the Suburban Bicycle Club, assisted by their lady friends. An attractive item was the mandoline duet between Messrs. Royle and Green. Miss Josephs sang "All My World" very sweetly, and Miss Charlesworth sang "Daddy." Little Ivy Freshman gave a couple of humorous recitations, and she won a well-deserved encore. Messrs. Y'eend's "Bid Me to Love," Baxter's "Asthore," Brown's "Skipper," and Mitchell's "To Anthea," were well received, and the latter joined with Miss M. Blair in rendering "The Moon Hath Raised." Mrs. Baxter and Mr. C. Chapman accompanied most of these songs. The items which received great favour were the comic songs of Messrs. S. Henderson and F. Wilkinson, both of which were encored. After the concert the visitors were regaled to supper by Mr. Betts and the staff.

NO MORE TOOTHACHE by using the DENTIFRICES of the Rev. BENEDICTINE Fathers. Retail price:—Elixir, 2s, 4s, and 8s each; Powder, 1s 2d, 1s 8d, and 2s 6d each; Paste, 1s 2d, 1s 8d, and 2s 6d each. Obtainable everywhere. Agents, R. METAYER and CO., 8 O'Connell-street.—Advt.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

A fair volume of business was done in the Mining market yesterday, and prices generally were firm, Reefers' Eureka, Brown Hill Central, and stocks generally in the Kalgoorlie field showing an improvement in prices. Little was done in silver. There was a sale of B.H. Proprietary shares at 44s 3d, and Broken Hill South changed hands at 11s 6d. There was also a sale of Wallsend Coal at £21.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The closing quotations were:—

	Buyer.	Seller.
COAL.		
Bellambi	4/	7/
Hetton	27 6	35/
Stockton	3 9	3 10
Vale of Clwydd	8/	10/
Wallsend	£20½	£21½
Waratah	12 6	17 6
Wickham and Bullock Island	10 6	11 3
Ditto, new	4 9	5 6
Ditto, preferential, £1 paid	21 6	25/
SILVER. New South Wales.		
Broken Hill Proprietary	43 6	44 3
Block 10	76 6	80/
Block 14	25 6	28/
Junction Consolidated	—	1 9
Junction Nth.	23/	—
North Broken	10 6	11 3
North Central	10½d	11½
B. H. South	11/	—
Overflow	4 10	5 1½
Ditto con.	—	2/
Tasmania.		
Clifton	8 6	9 6
Curtin and Davis	9	—
Central Lyell	2	—
King Lyell,	—	2 6
Mount Lyell	15/7/6	—
Tasman	—	34/
GOLD. New South Wales.		
Baker's Creek Consols	8/	3/1
Birthday	8/	3 3
Ditto, con.	—	2/11
Cobar Great Western	3/	3 6
Cobar Mining	3 9	4 6
Falkner's	9/	9 6
Klinks	—	15/
Mount David	5/11	6/
Mount Gahan	1 9	—
North Gibraltar, con.	9d	1/
Occidental	—	4 2
Parkes G. M. and Q. C.	—	2 3
Peak Hill	—	2 6
Ditto, con.	—	1 6
Sunlight	—	7/
Star Lead No. 1, con.	—	6
Victory Forest Reefs, con.	7 6	10/
West Sunlight	2 5	3/
Ditto, con.	1 11	2 6
Victoria.		
Band and Albion	10	—
Central Plateau	24	—
New Birthday	2 6	—
Star of the East	—	24
Queensland.		
Brilliant St. George	40/	—
Ditto, con.	39 6	—
Clark's Brilliant Worcester, &c.	8 2	—
Columbia Smithfield	17 9	—
Kelly's Queen Block	15 6	—
Ditto, con.	12 9	—
No. 1 North Phœnix	7 6	8
No. 1 North Smithfield	21/	—
No. 1 North Victory	3/1	3 6
Smithfield and Golden Pile	17/	—
Victoria G. M. Association	6/7	7/3
Western Australia.		
Associated	93/	96/
Boulder Central, con.	24 6	—
Brookman's Boulder	44/	47/
Boulder Half-mile South	2 11	—
Brown Hill Central	3 6	3 10
Brown Hill Junction	5	—
Brown Hill No. 1 South	7½d	8d
Chaffer's	7/9	—
Eureka North	8½d	10d
General Gordon	4/	—
Ditto, con.	—	1 9
Golden Zone	9	—
Ditto, con.	8 6	9 3
Golden Link	—	32 6
Gt. Boulder	11/17 6	—
Ditto ditto, Persev'ance	5 0	5 5
Hainault	44/	—
Hannan's Block 45	11/10	12 7½
Hannan's Central Extended	3 3	3 9
Hannan's Crœsus	13 6	15 6
Hannan's Pride of the Valley, con.	10d	11½d
Hannan's Eureka	1 11	2 2
Hannan's Oroya	32/	—
Hannan's Paringa	14 6	16 6
Hannan's Reward North, con.	5/	—
Ivanhoe	—	17 0
Ditto South Extended	10 6	13 6
Ivanhoe Junction	2 5½	2 7
Kalgoorlie Bank of England	60/	65/
Kalgoorlie Proprietary	3 6	—
Kalgoorlie Mint	30/	33/
Kalgurli	6 13 6	6 18 6
Ditto North	37/	—
Ditto South	69/	71/
Lady Sherry	1 7½	1 11
Ditto, con.	6d	—
Lake View	4/	—
Lake View Consols	11 12/	—
Lake View South	50/	55/
Melbourne United	5/	5 4
Monte Cristo	2/	3/
Ditto, con.	1 1	1 4
Princess Margaret	7/	7 9
Queensland Menzies	11/	12/
Reefer's Eureka, con.	17/	—
Reefers' 1rid.	6d	—

The following sales were reported:—Morning—Silver: B. H. Proprietary, 44s 3d. Gold: Kalgurli, £6 19s; Golden Zone, contributing, 8s 4d; Southern Boulder, 1s 0½d. Noon—Silver: B. H. South, paid, 11s 6d; Clifton, 9s. Tin: Australian Tin (Tasmania), 8s 10d. Gold: Golden Zone, contributing, 8s 6d; South Kalgurli, 71s; Brown Hill No. 1 South, 7½d; Reefers' Eureka, contributing, 17s 9d; Lake View Consols, £11 16s, £11 18s; Kelly's Queen Block, paid, 13s 6d. Afternoon—Coal: Wallsend, £21. Copper: North Nymagee, 5s. Gold: Mount David, paid, 5s 11d.

The following sales were posted after the last meeting of the Exchange:—Copper: North Nymagee, 4s 11d, 5s 2d. Silver: Crown Lyell, paid, 5s 3d; Overflow, contributing, 2s; Hercules, 32s 6d. Gold: Baker's Creek Consols, 3s 1d, 3s 1d; Reefers' Eureka, contributing, 18s 10½d; Lake View South, 53s; Brown Hill Central, 3s 9d, 3s 9d; Brookman's Boulder, 47s, 47s, 48s; South Kalgurli, 71s 9d; Brookman's Boulder, 47s, 48s.

The prospectus of the Dartmoor Mining Company, No Liability, appears elsewhere. The company is being formed to work the Dartmoor Mines, Cooma, New South Wales. The capital is £27,500 in 55,000 shares of 10s each, of which 35,000 are offered to the public, 2s being payable on application and 2s on allotment. The vendor will receive 20,000 fully paid up shares and £2000 in cash.

A sample of stone from the 200ft. level of Kirk's mine, Wyalong, which was recently floated into a company, is on view at the Sydney Stock Exchange. The stone is of the highly mineralised character found in the best mines at Wyalong below the water level.

The following telegram from the mine manager of the Star Lead No. 1 mine, Gulgong, was posted at the Stock Exchange yesterday:—"Good yield today; two pieces each about 1oz. 5dwt."

MOUNT LEWISSON GOLD-MINING COMPANY.

The ninth half-yearly general meeting of the Mount Lewisson Gold-mining Company was held at the office of the company, Sydney Arcade, yesterday afternoon. Mr. H. J. Solomon presided. The directors' report stated that during the half-year continuous work had been carried on in driving the lower tunnel and rising to connect the winze with the main tunnel. The water was still very troublesome and prevented further sinking at present. The directors were now considering the advisability of erecting some machinery to cope with the water. The report was adopted.

DEVELOPMENTS AT BUSHY HILL.

COOMA, Friday.

Mining at Bushy Hill is progressing very favourably. Mr. J. Cogan has sold out his share to Messrs. Solomon, Perkins, and Body for a good sum. No little excitement was caused yesterday and on previous days through the discovery of good specimens. The find bears out the remarks of Mr. Slee, Chief Inspector of Mines.

DISCOVERY OF A COPPER LODE.

MILTON, Friday.

A 5ft. lode of copper has been discovered at Conjola Creek, about 12 miles from Milton. A parcel assayed at the Lake Illawarra Smelting Works gave 28 per cent. copper, besides small quantities of gold and silver. An assay in Sydney gave 30 per cent. copper. The prospectors are now engaged in further developing the property, which is considered a valuable one.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

A fairly firm market prevailed to-day. Sales and quotations were:—Block 14, 26s 6d, buyer 26s 3d, seller 26s 6d; Junction North, 22s 9d, 23s 6d; South, paid, 10s 9d, buyer 10s 9d, seller 11s 3d; North Centrals, 7d, buyer 6d, seller 7d; Menzies Barossa, 3s 11d, 4s 4d, 3s 10d, 4s, 2s 11d, buyer 3s 10d, seller 3s 11d; Golden Slope West, 4s, 3s 11d, 4s, 3s 11d, 4s, buyer 3s 10d, seller 4s; Associated, 94s 6d, 94s 3d, buyer 94s, seller 94s 6d; Blair Athol, contributing, 3s 6d, buyer 3s 4d, seller 3s 7d; Block 45, 12s, 12s 7½d, buyer 12s 7½d, seller 12s 9d; Bonnie Charlie, 2s, 2s 4d, buyer 2s 4d, seller 2s 5d; Boulder Central, paid, 26s 3d, 27s 6d, 27s 3d, buyer 27s 3d, seller 27s 6d; ditto, contributing, 26s, 25s, 26s 9d, buyer 26s 9d, seller, 27s; Boulder Central Extended, 2s, buyer 1s 11d, seller 2s; Boulder Consols No. 1, 5s 5d, 5s 7d, 5s 6d, buyer 5s 5d, seller 5s 6d; Boulder Half-mile South, 2s 11d, buyer 2s 9d, seller 2s 11d; Brookman's Boulder, 46s, 45s 6d, 49s 3d, 48s, buyer 48s, seller 48s 6d; Brown Hill Junction, 5s 8d, buyer 5s 6d, seller 6s; Brown Hill Central, 3s 7d, 3s 5d, buyer 3s 4d, seller 3s 5d; Brown Hill No. 1 South, 8d, buyer 7d, seller 8d; Coolgardie, 4s 5d, buyer 4s 3d, seller 4s 6d; Crœsus Proprietary, 5s, 4s 11d, buyer 4s 11d, seller 5s 1d; General Gordon, paid, 4s 6d; Golden Queen, 1s 1½d, 10d, buyer 10d, seller 11d; Golden Key, 8d, buyer 8d, seller 9d; Golden Zone, paid, 9s 6d, buyer 9s 6d, seller 10s; ditto, contributing, 8s 8d, 8s 11d, 8s 9d, buyer 8s 6d, seller 8s 9d; Golden Zone North, 1s 2½d, 1s 1½d, buyer 1s 1½d, seller 1s 2d; Great Boulder, £11 15s, buyer £11 13s 6d, seller £11 16s; Boulder Main Reef, 40s 6d, 39s 6d, 40s, buyer 40s, seller 40s 6d; Great Boulder No. 1, 25s, 25s 3d, 25s, buyer 25s, seller 25s 6d; Boulder Perseverance, 99s, £5 2s, buyer £5 3s, seller £5 5s; Hannan's Central Extended, 3s 7d, 3s 7½d; Hannan's Eureka, 2s 1½d, 2s 1d, 2s 3d, 2s 2d, buyer 2s 2d, seller 2s 3d; Hannan's Oroya, 34s, 33s, 33s 6d, 32s, buyer 32s, seller 32s 6d; Hannan's Crœsus, 14s 6d, buyer 14s 3d, seller 14s 6d; Hainault, 48s, buyer 47s; Hannan's Reward North, contributing, 5s 7d, 5s 5d, 5s 6d, buyer 5s 5d, seller 5s 6d; Imperial Boulder, 6s 1d, 5s 11d, 6s, buyer 5s 10d, seller 6s; Ivanhoe South Extended, 12s 9d, 11s 1½d, 11s 4½d, buyer 11s 3d, seller 11s 6d; Ivanhoe Junction 2s 6d, buyer 2s 5d, seller 2s 6d; Kalgoorlie Bank of England, 63s 9d, 60s 3d, buyer 60s 6d, seller 61s; Kalgoorlie Proprietary, 3s 8d, buyer 3s 7d, seller 3s 9d; Kalgurli Gold Mines, buyer £6 16s, seller £6 18s 6d; North Kalgurli, 38s, 37s 6d, buyer 37s 6d, seller 38s; Premier, 34s 6d, 35s, buyer 35s 6d; Premier Consolidated No. 1, 1s 1½d, buyer 1s 1d, seller 1s 2d; Premier South, 3s 11d, 4s, 3s 7d, buyer 3s 7d, seller 3s 8d; Princess Royal, paid, 17s 6d, 18s 6d, buyer 18s 9d, seller 19s 6d; ditto ditto, contributing, 18s 3d, 18s 9d; Queen Margaret, 21s 3d, buyer 20s 6d, seller 22s; Queen Margaret Central, 2s 4d, buyer 2s 2d, seller 2s 4d; Queensland Menzies, paid, 11s 6d, buyer 11s 3d, seller 11s 9d; Reefer's Eureka, contributing, 17s 6d, 18s 3d, buyer 17s, seller 17s 9d; Royal Mint Extended, paid, 7s, 6s 6d, buyer 6s, seller 6s 6d; ditto ditto, contributing, 4s 6d, 4s 9d, 4s 6d, buyer 4s 3d, seller 4s 6d; Royal Mint South, contributing, 11d, 1s, buyer 1s, seller 1s 1d; Slug Hill Proprietary, 1s 6d, 1s 5d, 1s 7d, buyer 1s 0½d, seller 1s 2d; Southern Boulder, 1s, 1s 1d, 1s, buyer 10½d, seller 1s; South Kalgurli, 72s 6d, 72s, 72s 3d, buyer 72s, seller 72s 6d; Victory United, 6s 9d, buyer 6s 8d, seller 6s 10d.

BROKEN HILL, Friday.

The coercive measures in connection with Brodribb's section, Block 12, of Proprietary mine, are proceeding on the customary lines, water still being made the chief factor, both from the bottom of Baxter and Saddler's open cut and from No. 2 level underground for keeping the apparently smouldering embers in circumscribed limits. The principal work at present done is the driving of a series of crosscuts eastward at short intervals northward from the Jamieson shaft, second level, directly above the partially burned-out stopes, the object being to allow the water to thoroughly saturate every part below. Except when the pressure of water happens to be insufficient—which seldom occurs—the pyroligneous gases emanating cause but little inconvenience. The new upcast shaft from the bottom of Baxter and Saddler's open cut on the footwall side is now connected with the main drive on the portion of the lode directly east of the seat of the conflagration, and with the aid of a steam jet all noxious fumes readily find their way upwards through this shaft. Stewart's shaft is now wholly relieved, and southward towards the new upcast shaft the mine is entirely free from gases. A party of men is busily engaged recovering the ground south of Brodribb's old shaft and immediately north of the affected area, the roadway in Stewart's shaft being got ready with the view of future mining of sulphides. A little stoping is now done at No. 4 level north and No. 3 level south of Jamieson's shaft in Block 12, the ore mined being raised through Wiggs' shaft. Another section of this mine's large concentrating mill has just started, making about two-thirds in active motion. For the present only crude sulphides are being treated, the secondary products being left temporarily in abeyance. The machinery is described as running smoothly. The Junction North western development at the 750ft. level continues to look remarkably well, and as the deep winze from the bottom of the level above has just holed into this crosscut, carrying rich soft ore all the distance down, about 112ft., this material is now proved to exist to a very considerable extent. Last week's average assay of sulphides broken from this winze was 29oz. silver and 42 per cent. lead. The ground in the crosscut around the bottom of the winze is being squared up preparatory to opening out northward and southward directly along the course of the lode for sill floor sets. The winze southward and adjacent to the Junction mine's boundary at the 640ft. level has been sunk 22ft., carrying a full bottom of valuable soft ore. Another winze just started at the same level about 70ft. further north of the deep winze has reached 16ft. also in excellent prospects, for the whole distance carrying extremely rich porous sulphides. Stoping has been resumed on the second floor at the back of this level in a strong face of milling ore, and also on the sill and fifth floor above the 570ft. level. The latter workings carry mixed faces of shipping and milling material. Shipments last week comprised 100 tons first-grade sulphides to Block 14, Port Adelaide, and another 100 tons is on the trucks waiting despatch to the same destination. About 2000 tons second-grade sulphides has now accumulated at the surface and underground. The pump readily controls the incoming water, working five strokes a minute.

BRISBANE, Friday.

The Queensland Stock Exchange sales to-day were:—Caledonian New Zealand United, 1s 10d. The Brisbane Exchange sales were:—No. 1 South Great Eastern, 6s 4d; No. 5 North Phœnix, 8s; Queensland Menzies, paid-up, 12s.

CHARTERS TOWERS, Friday.

To-day's Stock Exchange sales and quotations were:—Band of Hope, buyer 26s, seller 26s; ditto, paid up, seller 27s; Bonnie Dundee, buyer 3s, seller 3s 9d; Brilliant Central, buyer 6s 3d, seller 7s; Brilliant, seller 17s 6d; Brilliant St. George United, buyer 41s, seller 41s 9d; ditto, paid, buyer 41s 3d; Brilliant Extended, buyer 9s 9½d, seller 9s 11d; ditto, paid, buyer 11s 5d, seller 11s 8d; Brilliant Deep Levels, buyer 6s 1d, seller 6s 10d; Clark's Brilliant Worcester and Victory, buyer 8s 2d, seller 8s 3d, sales 8s 3d; Craven's Caledonia, buyer 2s 9d, seller 2s 10d; C.T. Pyrites Company, buyer 10s 3d; C.T. Gas Company, buyer 9s 3d; Day Dawn P.C., buyer 3s 7d, seller 3s 10½d; Day Dawn Block and Wyndham, buyer 14s 8d, seller 15s 6d; East Mexican, buyer 3s 11d, seller 4s 11½d; Kelly's Queen Block, contributing, buyer 13s 9d, seller 14s 1d, sales 13s 6d; ditto, paid, sales 14s; Moonstone Consols, buyer 2s 10½d, seller 3s 1½d; Moonstone Extended P.C., buyer 9d, seller 1s, sales 11d, 10d; Moonstone Towers Extended Block, buyer 1s 3d, seller 1s 5d; New Queen, buyer 3s 4d; North Queen, buyer 1s 3d, seller 1s 9d; ditto, paid, buyer 3s 3d, seller 3s 6d; Papuan Brilliant and Victory, buyer 13s 4½d, seller 13s 6d, sales 13s 6d; Phœbe, buyer 15s 3d, seller 15s 7d, sales 15s 4d; Queen Cross Reef, buyer 11s 3d, seller 12s; Queen Central, buyer 2s 9½d, seller 3s; ditto, paid, buyer 4s 6d, seller 5s; Victoria and Queen, buyer 8s 7d, seller 9s 2d; Victoria and Caledonia Block, buyer 4s 10½d, seller 5s; ditto, paid, seller 6s 6d, sales 6s 4½d; Victoria G. M., buyer 6s 9d, seller 6s 11d; Victory, buyer 8s 7d, seller 9s; Victoria No. 1 West, buyer 1s 7d, seller 1s 8d.

Brilliant St. George United has crushed 875 tons for 1432oz. gold.

COOLGARDIE, Thursday.

Golden Bar made a partial clean up of 74oz. 11dwt. from 170 tons. This was for eight days only, ending October 31, and the end of the company's year. The gold from the plates is not included, hence the low average. The manager reports that at the 60ft. level the reef is 11ft. wide, showing gold.

The export for October put up another record with 75,690oz., valued at £287,622. The total for the past 10 months is 516,731oz., being an increase of 305,984oz. for the corresponding period of last year. The Diamond Jubilee has crushed 16 tons for 43oz., the Liberty 35 tons for 29oz. The battery at Blevin's mine is completed, and will be started in a few days. The cyanide plant at Bayley's is in full work, and appears to be doing all that was expected. The tributors of the North Burgess mine, who had 700oz. from 100 tons, are getting out another crushing.

Considerable activity has been manifested in the Share market since the commencement of the week, and prices are advancing. Reefer's Eureka and Golden Zone rose several shillings on the strike of rich ore in the claim, to which the Golden Zone is in close proximity. They are driving to cut the same body.

GRAFTON, Friday.

Last month's crushing from the Beacon mine, Bucka Creek, gave 71½oz. of gold from 612 tons stone.

GYMPIE, Friday.

Mr. Thomas Smith reports:—Sales: Caledonian United, 2s 1d, 2s 1½d; Columbia No. 2 North, 1s 1½d; Orient Tribute, 1s 8d; Great Eastern No. 1 North, 1s 7d; Great Eastern No. 1 South, 6s 3d, 6s 4½d; Great New Zealand, 11d; Great Monkland, 2d; Phœnix No. 5 North, 7s 9d. To-night's quotations were: Smithfield Pile, seller 18s 3d, buyer 17s; South Glanmire and Monkland, 14s 6d, 14s; Victory No. 1 North, contributing, seller 3s 11d, buyer 3s 6½d; Golden Pile, seller 9s 7d, buyer 9s 3d.

HOBART, Friday.

To-day's Exchange sales and quotations were:—Clifton, sales 9s 3d; Colebrook, sales 55s; Curtin and Davis, buyer 10s, seller 11s 6d; Hercules, buyer 32s, seller 34s; Barlen Hercules, buyer 1s 7d, seller 1s 9d; South Hercules, buyer 3s, seller 3s 9d; Mount Black, buyer 6s 6d, seller 6s 6d; ditto, paid, buyer 7s 3d, seller 8s; Central Lyell, buyer 2s 9d, seller 3s 6d; Mount Reid, buyer 13s 6d, seller 15s; Oonah, buyer 5s 10d, seller 6s; ditto, paid, buyer 6s, seller 6s 9d; Primrose, buyer 18s; Silver Queen, buyer 4s, seller 4s 6d.

KALGOORLIE, Thursday.

The strike at Brookman's is fully confirmed. The stone shows a good body. Developments in the other shaft on the Kalgurli lode are promising. The reconstruction scheme is viewed favourably locally. Nice-looking ground is being passed through in the Brown Hill Junction. It looks much like a splice of the lode outside the hanging wall of the Brown Hill Central. Lake View Consols cleaned up, but the details are not published; they are expected to be about 8000oz. The water gear of Hannan's Wealth, which was out of order and stopped the supply for a day or two, is now put right. The Associated has cleaned up. The result is reported to be satisfactory. The Boulder Consols ore lode is improving with depth. There is a good-looking solid sulphide body, with every prospect of a splendid body a little lower. In the Trafalgar Proprietary, which was lately floated, the lode is looking very well, and assays from 2oz. to 10oz. The Three Mints Extended is engaging considerable attention. Work was resumed a fortnight ago on the crosscut to the Trafalgar lode. The shaft is down 150ft.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

A dull market continues for Broken Hill companies, but Tasmanian companies had again an active market. Moderate business was done in Western Australian and Victorian gold companies. Sales were as follows:—North Broken Hill, 11s 3d, 10s 9d; Mount Deddick, £10 5s, £9 15s; Mount Lyell, £15 8s, £15 9s; Central Mount Lyell, 3s 1d, 2s 11d; Clifton, 8s 6d, 9s; Colebrook, 48s, 51s 6d; Commonwealth, 3s 4d, 2s 11d; Hercules, 33s; Lyell Tharsis, 70s, 72s, 65s, 81s; Mount Lyell Blocks, 4s 9d; Mount Lyell Consols, paid, 13s 9d, 12s 9d; North Mount Lyell, 59s, 56s 6d; Tasman Lyell, 31s, 30s, 32s 6d; South Lyell Tharsis, 8s 1d, 7s 7d, 8s 11d, 8s 5d; Barren Hercules, 1s 7d; Curtin Davis, 10s 3d, 10s 9d, 10s 3d; Glen Lyell, 4½d, 3½d, and paid, 7d, 8d; King Lyell, paid, 2s 6d; Mount Lyell Extended, 21s 6d; North Colebrook, 2s 2d, 2s 7½d; Oceana, 1s; S. W. Curtin Davis, 1s 2d, 1s 3d; Crown Lyell, 4s 3d, 4s 10d, and paid 6s 1d, 5s 11d, 6s 6d; Prince Lyell, 1s 9d, and paid 2s 11d, 2s 6d; Queen Lyell, 1s 5d, and paid 1s 10d, 1s 6d, 2s 1d; Australian (Tin), 8s 6d; Boulder Half-mile, 2s 11d, 3s; Golden Zone, paid, 9s 8d; Melbourne United, 5s 3d; Brookman's Boulder, 46s 3d, 47s 6d; Associated, 95s; Hannan's Block, 45, 12s 3d, 12s 10½d; Boulder Central, 25s 6d, 26s 3d; South Kalgoorlie, 73s; Boulder Perseverance, £5 1s, £5 4s; Barry West, 71s; Sir Henry Loch, 4s; Star of the East, 20s; Chalk's Junction, 30s 6d, 30s; Great Southern Chiltern, 27s, 26s 6d; Southern and Prentice, 8s 6d, 9s; ditto, paid, 13s; B. B. Quartz, 8s 6d; New Loch Fyne, £9 5s; New South Standard, 3s 3d; Beehive and German, 6s 5d, 6s 4d; New Chum, 2s 7d, 2s 9d; Band and Albion, 12s; Lake George Mines, 60s; Lake George North, 1s 9d; North Landy's Dream, 5d; Lord Nelson North, 1s 1d, 1s; Von Moltke, 9d.

PAMBULA, Friday.

The Hidden Treasure mine is again being worked by the owners, who have decided to develop and continue working the property.

WEST WYALONG, Friday.

The chief topic in mining circles is the excellent yield obtained from a parcel of 32 tons of stone from Conway's Shamrock and Thistle mine, treated at Sully's Chlorination Works. The average of the yield was 9oz. 15dwt. The shareholders received a net profit after all expenses of £958. Eighty tons of similar ore is going through. The Great Britain treated 2 tons of concentrates at the Dapto Smelting Works for a yield of 7oz. 6 dwt.; also a ton of crude ore for a yield of 12oz. 11dwt. 19gr. The Forget-me-Not treated at Dapto 2½ tons of ore for 26oz. 5dwt. A ton of concentrates yielded 4oz. 5dwt. The Miners' Right claim treated 35 tons at Nicolas and Reymond's battery for a yield of 16oz. 17dwt. 12gr. The Union Company's mine is let on tribute, and the party is sinking the southern shaft deeper. The Proprietary is stoping a rich vein of mineralised ore at a depth of 100ft. Boltes' Lucknow has despatched 6 tons of firsts and 44 tons seconds to the Dapto Smelting Works. They are stoping rich ore daily at the 250ft. level, and are sinking a winze at the present depth of 300ft. A large body of sulphide is showing in the bottom of the winze.

YIELDS.

Queen Margaret, W.A., 525 tons for 486oz. gold.

Newbridge G. M. Company, No Liability, 32 tons crushed for 16oz. gold.

Shamrock and Thistle (Wyalong) 32 tons for 9oz. 15dwt. per ton.

Great Britain (Wyalong), 2 tons concentrates for 7oz. 6dwt., and 1 ton crude ore for 12oz. 11dwt. 19gr.

Forget-me-Not (Wyalong), 2½ tons for 26oz. 5dwt., and 1 ton concentrates for 4oz. 5dwt.

Miner's Right (Wyalong), 35 tons for 16oz. 17dwt. 12gr.

Brilliant St. George United (Charters Towers), 875 tons for 1432oz.

Mount Burgess Gold-mining Company, Limited, November 3.—Crushed during the last two weeks 50 tons, yielding 25oz. smelted gold. Partial clean-up copper plates yielded 92oz. gold.

DIVIDENDS.

The following dividends have been declared, and are payable on the dates specified:—

Victoria G. M. A., C.T., November 8, 6d.

Great Boulder Proprietary, Kalgoorlie, November 24, 4s.

Premier, W.A., November 15, 1s.

B.H. Proprietary Block 10 Company, November 17, 3s.

B.H. Proprietary, Block 14, November 24, 1s.

MANAGERS' REPORTS.

Band of Hope and Albion Consols, No Liability, Ballarat, October 30. Consols line: North drive on course of lode, total 900ft. from crosscut. Track of lode 5ft. wide, carrying about 12in. of stone; no gold seen. At about 500ft. from crosscut there are indications of new make of stone pitching north, which shows payable gold in breaking. A winze is being put down to further test its value. Guiding Star line: Stopes above 1900ft. north of crosscut; carrying full faces of stone without much change. From the winze south of crosscut the lode is 6ft. wide, between well-defined walls, and showing gold in breaking. Crushed 450 tons for 155oz. 17dwt. melted gold.

Broken Hill Proprietary Block 14 Company, Limited, October 27.—400ft. level: Footwall drive south, no change in face. Footwall drive north, face showing patches sulphide ore. 300ft. level: No. 1 winze, total depth, 13ft.; not yet reached ore body. Stoping continued as usual on 200ft. and 300ft. levels, and mill supplied with ore. 119 trucks, containing 694 tons ore, despatched for week.

Paker's Creek Gold-mining Company, Hillgrove, week ended October 23.—Back of the 225ft. level, the stopes north and south of the winze are showing fair gold. Remaining stopes on both reefs show a little gold throughout. All machinery on the mine is in good working order.

British Queen, Ballarat, October 30.—No. 1 level, north main drive: Started to rise on stone. No. 2 level: Prospecting to east of north main drive. Crushed 50 tons stone for 9oz. 6½dwt. gold.

Curtin-Davis Proprietary Company, No Liability, week ended October 23.—420ft. level: Stope at 50ft. in tunnel; total 25ft. Lode 18in. wide; siderite, yellow copper, and little fahl ore. 680ft. level: Total 398ft.; lode 14in. wide, mostly siderite, with a little copper pyrites through it. Rising for No. 5 stope: Lode 6in. wide, yellow copper, and siderite. Now ready to stope north. No. 2 tunnel, east of falls: Total 14ft.; lode 6in. wide, of iron pyrites. Country blue slate.

Lyell Tharsis Mining Company, No Liability, week ended October 24.—Winze: Total 25ft. No. 1 or south tunnel: Total 85ft.; 63ft. through ore. North tunnel: Extended 80ft.; 60ft. through ore. New south trench opening up well, showing ore.

Last Chance, United, October 30.—No. 9 crosscut gone through about 4ft. stone; very little gold seen. Now in good slate country, intermixed with quartz veins. No. 6 stopes carrying plenty of stone, looking little better.

Mount Gahan Gold-mining Company, No Liability, Pambula, October 30.—Sunk shaft 4ft. and timbered 9ft.; no change in rock. Total depth 114ft.

Mount Lyell Blocks Mining Company, No Liability, October 23.—Main tunnel: Distance reached from entrance 680ft.; still continue to drive on lode showing very little change. Country hard quartzite and mineralised schist, with traces of copper pyrites; face making more water.

Mount Lyell Mining and Railway Company, Limited, week ended October 20.—No. 3 stopes, No. 4 tunnel, yielding high-grade ore. Five smelting furnaces in operation. Converter plant: 3586 tons of blister copper consigned to date, being 323 tons for the current half-year. All surface and other works progressing well.

North Hercules, Mount Read, October 26.—No. 1 adit, total 277ft. Passed through small vein of pyrites mixed with schist; 5ft. from present face; ground very good.

No. 1 Curtin and Davis, Dundas, October 26.—Leading stope advanced 4ft. Lode very much improved during last two days, showing good vein of yellow copper and fahl ore on footwall.

North Central Broken Hill Silver-mining Company, No Liability, week ended October 30.—South drive at 700ft. level extended 5ft. The ground at present is of a sandy schist, carrying small seams of sulphide of copper. North drive at 550ft. level extended 2½ft. No change whatever in drive.

New Normanby, Ballarat, October 30.—No. 3 level: Stopes producing usual quality stone. No. 7 intermediate level in stone showing gold. No. 9 south drive in strong body of stone. No. 10 stopes show plenty stone; gold occasionally seen.

North Woah Hawp, Ballarat, October 30.—No. 6 level: Crosscut driven 15ft. for week through stone of poor quality. Main drive south in well-mineralised stone showing gold. Intermediate stone looking well. No. 4 level: Stone east of indicator looking fair.

Peak Hill Proprietary Gold-mining Company, No Liability, November 1.—Main shaft, total depth 548ft. Battery will commence crushing on tributors' ore to-morrow. The 32 tons pyritous ore from drive at 485ft. level, referred to in last report, gave 12 tons concentrates.

Prentice Freehold, Rutherglen, October 30.—No. 25: Crosscut extended 54ft.; both wash and prospects improving. No. 24: Nearly all forces concentrated here. Output somewhat impeded, as so many parties are on one road. Yield, 100oz. gold.

Pitfield Consols, Pitfield Plains, October 30.—Shaft, total 1004ft. in rock.

Star of the East, Ballarat, October 30.—No. 1 shaft, 2000ft. level: South drive, lode 4ft. wide; stone produced by stopes continues somewhat poor. 1420ft. level: Operations temporarily suspended. 600ft. level: Driving north; track of lode 4ft. wide. No. 2 shaft, 1800ft. level: North drive, formation very much disturbed. 1500ft. level: North rise, lode 5ft. wide, consisting of slate and quartz. South drive, same level: Encountered footwall 8ft. east of winze; now driving south on its course; stone 4ft. wide, showing a little gold occasionally when breaking down; rise is up 108ft., and carries fully 4ft. of heavily-mineralised stone containing a little gold. Stopes throughout without change. 1000ft. level: South end crosscut west off main drive met a slide; stone showing above it letting out water freely. Crushed 1672 tons stone for 344oz. 8dwt. 18gr. bar gold.

South Star, Sebastopol, October 30.—Main shaft, total depth, 2230ft. 1010ft. level: North drive on lode track progressing satisfactorily. Intermediate levels opening up large bodies payable stone. All stope workings supplying plenty of crushing material of medium quality. Crushed 2329 tons for 910oz. 6dwt. gold; cyanide, 120oz. 8dwt. Total, 1030oz. 14dwt.

Tasman Lyell Prospecting Association, No Liability, week ending October 24.—Crosscut at 50ft. level, total 19ft.; in quartzite and oxidised schist floors, well mineralised, and showing oxide of copper on cleavage of the rock. The ore we are driving through looks like a slip from another body, and is of low grade. There is no gut of getting through the body yet. The formation is in layers nearly flat.

Victorian Gold-mining Association (Charters Towers), N.L., fortnight ended October 22.—Stopes over No. 12 south-east level looking very well, carrying reef of good quality, averaging 1ft. thick. No work has been done north-west of the shaft at this level, where a large block of ground carrying a good reef exists. Winze from No. 10 south-east level is down 117ft.; reef continues fairly good quality, 10in. in thickness. Over No. 9 north-west level the reef is good quality, and 1ft. thick. Over No. 8 south-east level the reef is 10in. thick, medium quality. Over No. 7 south-east level reef 15in. thick, but rather poor quality. Over No. 5 south-east level the reef is from 6in. to 10in. thick, medium quality. Over No. 4 north-west level reef averages 10in. thick, good quality. Over No. 3 north-west level a average thickness of reef is 1ft., carrying some good mineralised stone among a generally white reef. Over No. 3 south-east level the reef is 9in., medium quality. No. 2 crosscut level total 35ft.; reef fully 1ft. thick, and really good quality stone. This bids fair to open up well. Over No. 18 level, reef averages 9in., of medium quality.

Burra Burra Copper-mining Company, No Liability, Mount Boppy, October 30.—Crosscut at 200ft. level driven further distance of 10ft. in same class of country as last reported; more water making in face of drive. Western shaft sunk further depth of 9ft. Have passed through ironstone formation into a red slate mixed with quartz veins; all the country dipping west.

Broken Hill Proprietary Block 14 Company, Limited.—Port Adelaide smelting returns for week ending October 28.—Ore treated: Carbonate, 83 tons; sulphide, 821 tons—producing 340 tons bullion, containing 23,030oz. silver.

Bluey Gold-mining Company, No Liability, week ending October 30. Crosscourse off Rose tunnel intercepted by a slide, throwing it 14ft. off its course to the northward. Followed the slide until the crosscourse was met again, and the drive will now be continued on the crosscourse as before.

Broken Hill Junction Silver-mining Company, Limited, week ended October 28.—M'Intyre's shaft—675ft. level: Still engaged blasting outside of level on main part of lode, which continues to look remarkably well. 675ft. level north: Crosscut put out west 20ft. from bottom of winze, 16ft. below bottom of level; full distance through lode formation composed of sandstone intermixed with low-grade sulphide. 550ft. level: New stope being opened out in back of level south from rise; lode about 10ft., composed of first and second grade sulphide. 450ft. level: Various stopes in back of level yielding usual quantities ore. No. 3 stope, under Browne's shoot, shows decided improvement and fair quantity first-grade ore being raised. 400ft. level: Nos. 1 and 2 stopes in back of level continue to look well. Connection formed with stopes in back of 400ft. and bottom of the 300ft. From these stopes expect to raise very fair quantity first-grade sulphide. 300ft. and 20ft. levels: Stopes continue to look well, yielding usual quantities milling ore. Browne's shaft: Stopes at 400ft. and 300ft. levels same as last reported. Surface: Work in connection with new mill still proceeding satisfactorily. During week mill treated 850 tons crude ore, assaying 11·7oz. silver and 23 per cent. lead, producing say 182 tons first concentrates, assaying 24·1oz. silver and 64 per cent. lead; first slimes, 20 tons, assaying 23·3oz. silver and 55 per cent. lead. Ore despatched for week, 719 tons.

Corowa Deep Lead, November 1.—Works progressing. Winding machinery erection well on. Five trucks steam pipes and machinery arrived from Messrs. J. Miller and Co., Ballarat, and contractor expects to complete erection plant within six weeks. 700 shares forfeited nearly 12 months ago for non-payment of calls were sold at Corowa on Friday, and were readily taken at from 2s 6d to 3s each, being the amounts owing on same.

Cobar Great Western Gold-mining Company, N.L., October 30.—Work during the week in the mine has been confined to underhand and back stoping, and carrying down sink when opportunity offered. Have some 20 miners at work in remunerative places. Shall be able to continue crushing for some time, having nearly 200 tons at grass to start upon at the beginning of the week when mill started. Stones looking well. Have taken roughly from the plates during week 80oz. avoirdupois of amalgam. Broken through from north side of small pass at 170ft. level, connecting it with 280ft., and have stopes now to that depth containing more or less payable ore.

Girilambone Copper-mining Company, No Liability.—Ore raised and concentrated for week ended October 29, 572 tons, producing 140 tons of first, second, and third grade concentrates. Ore smelted, 96 tons, producing 10 tons of copper. Smelting return is for five days only, in addition to which No. 3 reducing furnace was out all the week undergoing alterations. Mine looking well.

Lake George Mines, Limited, Captain's Flat, week ending October 21.—Southern section—Keating's shaft: Engaged equipping shaft with poppet heads of the same design as the Powell's shaft; rapid progress being made, and all wood and iron work well in hand. No. 1 tunnel: Stopes producing good fluxing material. Gold tunnel: No. 2 winze total, 4sft. in gossan. Bright's shaft, No. 1 level: North and south stopes yielding payable sulphides from the pyritic lode. No. 2 level: North silver stopes yielding average grade sulphide ore. Northern section—Powell's shaft: New pump working satisfactorily, the sinking of shaft will be resumed in a few days. No. 5 level: North drive, total 131ft.; south drive, total 104½ft. Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 levels: Stopes producing payable ore. Eastern section: Tributers obtaining high-grade gold stone; average assay contents for week, 3oz. gold per ton. Three smelting furnaces are in blast on ore reduction, and working satisfactorily. No. 3 blast furnace shut down. Now erecting new style of jackets and making necessary connections.

Lake George Proprietary Company, No Liability, week ended November 1.—Chapman's shaft sunk further 12ft., principally through soft talcose schist. The bar of slate, the course of which is nearly due north and south, I consider to be merely a bar of country, and not the footwall of lode. This bar on being broken into proved to be softer than its face. A little water is making in from the western side. Present depth of shaft, 56ft. Copeland's shaft: Sunk through hard country, slate, the joints of which are more open, and showing pyrites; country underlying to east, and becoming a little harder; the water is increasing every foot; present quantity, 50 gallons per hour. Shaft is 55ft. deep.

GOLD, Silver, and Copper Ores, Matte, Concentrates, Blanketings, Tailings, &c.
The Wallaroo Smelting Works are purchasers.
S. L. BENSUSAN, 12 O'Connell-street,
Agent for New South Wales and Queensland.—Advt.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

(Continued from Page 6.)

CUSTOM-HOUSE.—Entered outwards: November 5, Gulf of Genoa, s., 3448 tons, Captain D. Swan, for London; Menmuir, s., 2100 tons, Captain M'Arthur, for Hongkong, via ports; Eurimbla, s., 1065 tons, Captain J. Watt, for Rockhampton, via ports; Tyrian, s., 1499 tons, Captain J. D. Joy, for Brisbane and ports; Emu, s., 618 tons, Captain R. Clarke, for Melbourne; Peregrine, s., 1669 tons, Captain J. Fain, for Melbourne; Wakatipu, s., 1945 tons, Captain W. J. Newton, for Wellington; Oonah, s., 1767 tons, Captain W. J. Featherstone, for Hobart, via Eden; Cockermouth, ship, 1297 tons, Captain J. M'Adam, for Valparaiso, via Newcastle.

The steamer Kaffir was yesterday floated out of Mort's Dock, and proceeded to an anchorage in the stream.

The P. and O. Company's steamer Candia yesterday berthed at Moore's Wharf to load wool.

The steamer Warrego leaves Sydney to-day at 10 a.m. for Brisbane, taking on passengers and cargo for ports to Rockhampton.

Captain Fain reports that the Peregrine left Brisbane on the 3rd instant, cleared the Pile Light at 2.15 p.m., passed Smoky Cape at 12.25 p.m. on the 4th instant, and entered Sydney Heads at 5.30 a.m. on the 5th. Experienced strong southerly wind and heavy head seas to Smoky Cape, and thence light variable wind, with heavy southerly swell, to arrival.

Captain Joy reports that the Tyrian left Melbourne at 3.35 p.m. on the 3rd, cleared the heads at 6.18 p.m., rounded Wilson's Promontory at 2.30 a.m. on the 4th, passed Gabo Island at 6 p.m. same day, passed Montague Island at 12.40 a.m. on the 5th, and arrived at 2.30 p.m. Experienced fresh S.W. winds to Gabo Island, and thence moderate N.E. winds and fine weather to arrival.

Captain E. Farrell, of the Electra, reports crossing the Richmond Bar at 3.45 p.m. of the 3rd, and arrived in Sydney at 5.30 a.m. of the 5th.

Captain Alley reports that the Oakland left Richmond River at 4 p.m. on the 3rd, and arrived in Sydney at 11 a.m. on the 5th. Experienced strong southerly weather with heavy sea to Smoky Cape, thence to port fine weather.

The brigantine Defiance arrived yesterday at Sydney from Newcastle.

The smart little steamer Excelsior, of the Nicoll line, has just completed her first three months' work on the coast since she came out from the building yards in Scotland, and Mr. G. W. Nicoll says that he is very pleased with the steamer's performances. She has given satisfaction in every way, making her weekly trips to the three northern jetties—Coff's Harbour, Woolgoolga, and Byron Bay—with marked punctuality. The Excelsior has become a popular vessel on the coast.

THE MAIL STEAMERS.

The R.M.S. Duke of Argyll, from Brisbane September 21, left Port Said on the 4th instant for London.

The R.M.S. Moana, from San Francisco, via ports, is expected to arrive on Sunday about noon, and will berth at the Union Company's Wharf, at the foot of Margaret-street.

The R.M.S. Austral left Albany at 10 a.m. yesterday for Adelaide.

The Ville de la Ciotat left Albany at 8 p.m. on Thursday for Adelaide.

THE A.U.S.N. COMPANY'S LINE.

The Aramac will leave Sydney on Monday next for Melbourne, taking on passengers and cargo for Adelaide and the west.

The Bothwell Castle will leave Melbourne Wednesday, the 10th instant, for Adelaide, Albany, Fremantle, and Geraldton.

The Cintra is due at Sydney from Melbourne on Monday, and sails hence Wednesday, the 10th instant, for Brisbane and Queensland ports to Cooktown.

The Ranelagh sails hence Wednesday next for Brisbane and Queensland ports.

The Fitzroy will leave Sydney Friday next for Brisbane and ports to Rockhampton, taking on passengers and cargo for the steamer Warrego, leaving Brisbane for Townsville, Cooktown, Thursday Island, Normanton, and Burketown on Monday, the 15th instant.

The Birksgate, for Noumea, Suva, and Levuka (Fiji), will sail about Wednesday, the 10th instant.

The Gulimba is due from the west Friday next, and sails hence for Melbourne, Adelaide, Albany, Fremantle, and Geraldton Saturday, the 13th instant.

THE TYSER LINE.

The Tyser line steamer Indrarhiri arrived at London on the 3rd instant. Her dates are—Auckland, August 29; Napier, September 4; Wellington, September 12; Lyttelton, September 18.

The Star of New Zealand left London for the colonies on the 24th September, and is 43 days out.

The Star of Victoria left London on October 22, and is 15 days out.

THE GERMAN-AUSTRALIAN LINE.

The Meissen sails to-morrow for the Continent with between 8000 and 9000 bales wool, which will be added to at Melbourne and Adelaide, the steamer finally leaving Australia with 19,500 bales. She will be followed by the Solingen on the 15th instant, and by the Augsburg at the end of the month.

THE NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING COMPANY'S LINE.

The New Zealand Shipping Company's R.M.S. Rimutaka has just completed a fast and pleasant voyage, via the Cape of Good Hope, from London to Hobart, and thence to New Zealand. Captain H. E. Greenstreet, who served his time in the company's fine old clipper ships before the days of steam for the N.Z.S. Company, is in command. The steamer had 29 passengers for Australia, which she landed at Hobart. The Rimutaka's dates are—Plymouth, September 16; Teneriffe, September 23; Capetown, October 10.

THE TWEED BAR.

The secretary of the Marine Board yesterday received the following telegram from the pilot at Tweed River:—"A middle bank is making two channels. The north one has 10ft. on it, and the other 8ft. This morning the second channel has 9ft. Rise of tide, 5ft. I to-day made the tug's line fast to the sunken wreck of the Chindera's mast, and broke part away. There is a depth of 9ft. over the wreck at high water."

THE TAMAR.

Messrs. Dewitt and Moore's ship Tamar, from London to Sydney, to Messrs. Gilchrist, Watt, and Co., passed Cape Otway at 12.40 p.m. yesterday, with a large general cargo. She is 95 days out.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, advise the following movements of the company's steamers engaged in the Australian and Japan mail line:—

The Yamashiro Maru arrived from the East at Townsville yesterday, and is expected in Sydney on Thursday next.

The Tokio Maru left Townsville on Thursday last, and is due at Hongkong on the 18th instant, and at Yokohama on the 2nd December.

The Omi Maru leaves Yokohama on Thursday next, and is due in Sydney on the 17th December.

ARRIVAL OF THE BIRKSGATE.

The Birksgate, Captain C. E. Saunders, a day ahead of schedule date, arrived in Watson's Bay last night. The steamer left Sydney at 11.30 p.m. on October 14, Noumea at 11.30 a.m. on the 14th, Noumea at noon on the 20th, Vila at noon on the 22nd, Suva at 11.30 p.m. on the 25th, Levuka at 4 p.m. on the 26th, Suva at 2 a.m. on the 27th, Vila at 3 p.m. on the 30th. Experienced light variable winds and fine weather to Noumea, thence to Vila strong north-easterly winds and fine weather, Suva to Vila moderate easterly winds and fine weather, Vila to Sydney south-easterly winds and fine weather, with moderate E.S.E. and fresh to strong N.W. to S.W. winds and fine weather to arrival.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

Arcadia, from London October 22.
Augsburg, from Antwerp August 26.
Austral, from London October 1.
Australia, from London October 8.
Australian, from Japan October 22.
Banffshire, from London October 2.
Bungaree, from London Oct. ber 16.
Celtic King, from London September 11.
Changsha, from Hongkong October 24.
Chemnitz, from Antwerp October 9.
Damascus, from London September 25.
Darius, from Calcutta October 2.
Flensburg, from Antwerp September 18.
Friederich der Grosse, from Bremen September 21.
Gulf of Taranto, from Liverpool September 20.
Maori King, from London September 28.
Miowera, from Vancouver October 18.
Moana, from San Francisco October 14.
Nineveh, from London October 26.
Oakbranch, from Port Pirie November 2.
Ophir, from London October 15.
Orotava, from London October 29.
Remus, from Sourabaya November 2.
Siam, from Java October 17.
Solingen, from Adelaide November 2.
Star of New Zealand, from London September 24.
Star of Victoria, from London October 22.
Valetta, from London September 23.
Ville de la Ciotat, from Marseilles October 10.
Yamashiro Maru, from Yokohama October 7.
Yarrawonga, from London September 2.

A SHIPPING COMPANY'S BENEFIT SOCIETY.

Mention was the other day made in these columns of the existence in New Zealand of an admirably-conducted shipping employees' benefit society. The one referred to is the Union Company's Benefit Institution, established by the company and maintained by the employees for their own benefit. Since then the report of the Government Commissioner of Private Societies has been received. Therein, with reference to the Union S.S. Company's Society, the report says:—"During the first five years of the society's existence the Union Company subscribed to the extent of 20 per cent. of the annual contributions of members in addition to an initial donation of £500 to the funds. The assistance contributed in this way by the company has amounted to £2080, and the directors have decided to continue their contribution on similar lines for a further period of five years."

NEW ZEALAND FREIGHTS.

Owing to the unsettled state of the New Zealand freight market it was stated a few weeks ago that the reduction which had taken place in the rates to Europe had decided one of the large shipping companies to despatch one of its steamers to Australia to fill up with general cargo for London, and that other vessels of the same line would most probably follow suit. Now, however, these proposals have been abandoned, as the steamers have since made satisfactory engagements in New Zealand which will enable them to take full cargoes from those shores without troubling other colonies.

LIABILITY OF SHIPPING COMPANIES.

A case affecting the liability of shipping companies in regard to the luggage of passengers, and the power possessed by the companies to contract themselves out of a liability, has been decided by a Perth (W.A.) Court in an action for £100 damages, brought by a passenger, L. Allen, against the Adelaide Steamship Company. The plaintiff, a carpenter, was travelling from Sydney to Albany by the steamer Innamincka. A case of tools, which had been placed in the hold as his luggage, was taken out at Melbourne by the company, and, not being replaced, was lost. The defence was that the conditions, "no liability," were plainly printed on the face of the ticket. The Bench held that there was no statute to prevent shipping companies imposing what conditions they pleased in this regard, and therefore entered judgment for the defendant company, expressing opinion that as the travelling public could obtain no compensation for lost luggage, some legislation should be passed on the subject. An appeal has been lodged.

THE NEW LIGHT ON CAPE PALLISER.

New Zealand has added at last the much-needed light at Cape Palliser, the southern extreme of the North Island of New Zealand, and the south-east entrance point to Cook Strait, that highway of the fleet of intercolonial steamers trading with New Zealand and now also of the Canadian mail line. The new light was first lit on October 27. It is on Rocky Point, near Cape Palliser, the position and characteristics of which are as follow:—Rocky Point is situated in lat. 41° 36' 45 S., and long. 175° 18' 45 E., as measured from the Admiralty chart. The tower is constructed of cast iron, and has a concrete base. The total height from the bottom of the base to the top of the lantern is 58ft. It is situated 600ft. distant from high-water mark, at an elevation of 210ft. above the level of the sea, and is painted white. The light will be 258ft. above sea level at high water, and is a dioptric revolving white light of the second order, flashing twice every half-minute, with intervals of three seconds between the flashes. It will be visible to seaward over an arc of the horizon of about 214deg., or as far as the land will allow, and should be seen in clear weather about 26 statute miles from the deck of a vessel of ordinary height.

A MARINE BOARD INQUIRY.

An inquiry by a board consisting of Mr. J. Hughes (harbour master), Mr. F. Gordon, and Captain Vo (nautical assessors), held at Townsville, gave the following decision regarding the collision between the steamship Industry and the dredge Octopus:—"We consider that J. F. Mullock, the master of the Industry, is to blame for the collision between the Industry and the Octopus on September 18, and attribute the accident to his having used excessive caution in leaving the basin and not getting sufficient speed on his vessel to bring her under proper control. We are of opinion that the Octopus was properly moored clear of the channel, and that her lights were burning in accordance with the harbour regulations."

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Friday Evening.

In the Stock and Share market the course of business continues sluggish; still, any small lots of investment stock offering are taken freely at full quotations. The depletion of bank reserves through the export of gold, the demands of the Government, and the reopening of the Treasury for the issue of fresh stock, are factors tending towards greater stringency, which though counteracted to some extent by the comparatively limited extent of fresh advance business, militates against any considerable further firming of the prices of securities. The long-continued rising tide seems for the time to have pretty well reached flood, and there appears to be nothing to swell it much more. High as prices are, they still yield investors comparatively good returns on the various classes of stock on the lists. To-day's quotations show Government debentures and stock to be steady, though debentures due 1902 were offered at a rather lower price. Bank of New South Wales brought an advance of ¼. For Union Bank a slightly higher figure was offered. Australian Joint Stock Bank deposits A rose 6d, and B 3d. In Steam, North Shore Ferry had a buyer at a slightly higher figure. Insurance continued steady, no business transpiring. North Shore Gas recovered 6d, selling at 26s 6d. In Breweries Marshall's were again quoted at 3s 6d, others remaining steady. For Burns, Philp, and Co. Limited, there was a buyer at 25s. Emu Gravel were in request at 5s 6d, and Mont de Piete at 34s; a sale of Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, being effected at an advance of 3d.

On the Sydney Stock Exchange the following sales were reported:—At 1 o'clock: Bank of New South Wales, 35¼; A.J.S. Bank "B" Deposits, 10s 9d; North Shore Gas, 26s 6d; Marshall's Brewery, 3s 6d and 3s 6d. At 4 o'clock: A.J.S. Bank "A" Deposits, 15s; Silverton Tramway, 16s. Later: Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, 11s; A.J.S. Bank "A" Deposits, 15s. The closing quotations were:—

Company.	Capital paid up.	Amount of Shares.	Shares paid up.	Last Div. per annum.	Last Sale.	Buyer.	Seller.
	£	£	£	p.c.			
N.S.W. Funded Stock Act, 1892	2,500,000			4	110	109	110½
Ditto Act, 1873	500,[illegible]			4	128½		130
Ditto, due 1924				3			
Ditto, due 1933				3	100	99½	
Ditto Deb., 1898	849,300			5	110	107	111
Ditto Deb., 1901					107½		
Ditto Deb., 1903					108½		
N.Z. Deb., 1915	300,000			4	106	105	
Q'land Debs.				4	106½	105	
Colonial Sugar—Deb., 1914				5	112	110	
Ditto, Deb., 1900				5½			
Banks.							
Australian J. S.	1,166,960	10	7½		8.9		8.6
City	240,000	10	8	4	72		70
Com. Bank of Sydney	160,000	10	8	4	74		68
Com of Aus. pref	2,117,070	10	10	2	76		
Com. of Syd.	1,000,000	25	12½	8	22½	22½	23
N. S. Wales	1,950,000	20	20	9	35¾	35½	35¾
Q'land National	455,312	5	3				
R. Bank of Queensland	412,9[illegible]	9	5½	2½			63
Union	1,500,000	75	25	5	27½	26¼	
Deposits.							
A.J.S. Bank. Class A				3	15	15	15.6
Class B				3	10.9	10.9	11
Ditto, Inscribed	391,141			3½	12.3	10.6	11.6
Com. of Aus., A series, 1898				3	17.6	17	
Ditto assets				3	16	15.6	
E.S. & A. series				4	15	14.9	
Ditto Perml'ble	517,000			4	18.6	18.6	
Ditto, Debentures	1,037,24[illegible]			3	17.5	17.3	17.9
Inc., pref.	1,000,000			4	12.3	14.3	
Ditto, def.	1,000,000			4		12.9	
Nat. of Aust.				4½	10.7½		
Steam.							
Illawarra	56,000	5	3½	8½	6	5½	6¼
F. and H. R.	100,000	1	1	6	17.9	17.6	18
North Coast	122,712	1	17.6	6	16.9	16.3	
N. S. Ferry	60,000	1	1	10	40	46	47.6
Port Jackson	55,8[illegible]	5	50		20	20.9	
Ditto Co-op'tive Deb. Shares							
Insurance.							
A. M. Fire	25,000	1	5	22½	20.3	20.3	20.6
City M. Fire	15,000	1	2	10	3		2.11
Mer. Mut.	20,000	1	3	15½	9.9	9	10
New Zealand	20,000	10	2	10			
United	62,500	10	20	12½	90	85	90
Ditto, New	5,725	10	17.0	12	20.6	20	21
Gas.							
Albury	7,500			10	14.3	14	17
Australian	990,700	6	6	9	10½	10½	10¾
City Goulburn	10,000	1	1	15	47		45
Grafton	8,000	1	1	8	24.9	24	
Manly	10,000	1	1	7	24	22	
Ditto, New	5,000	1	10	7		11	12.6
Mudgee	8,000	1	1	8	18.6	18	19
Newcastle	25,125	2	2	12½	97.6	5	
North Shore	60,000	1	1	6	26.6	25.[illegible]	26.6
Ditto, New	10,000	1	10	6	13.9	13.3	14
Breweries.							
Australian	90,000	1	1	5	10		10
Castlemaine and Wood Bros.	250,000		1	5	16.4½	16.3	17
Marshall's	31,250	10	5	6	3.6	3.5	3.6
Perkins's	58,3[illegible]	15	15	10			
Toth's	300,000	1	1	7	23.9	23.6	24
Resch'/Arnott's	17,900	15	10	5	3	...	
Australian Newspaper					24.3	2[illegible].6	25.6
A.F.W. Supply	180,000	1	1	10	17	17.6	
Burns Philp	250,000	1	1	8		25	
Ditto	12,500	1	7	8			
Col. Sugar	1,[illegible]	20	20	10	21	28¼	29
Dalgety Co.	1,[illegible]	25	5	8	90		5
Eagle Tobacco	71,500	10	9.6		1.1		
Emu Gravel	41,000	1	1	2½		5.6	
Fresh F'd & Ice	200,000	1	15	8	18.6		
Harrison, Jones and Devlin	[illegible]	1	1	8			
Ice	[illegible]	1	10	8	11		
Melbourne T'ms	[illegible]	1	10	5	12.1½	12.6	
Mont de Piete	75,4[illegible]	1	1	10	34	34	35
Per. Trustee	25,000	5	2.0	4	2.1	2	2.1
Perp. Trustee	25,000	10	5	10	8	7.9	8.3
Mort's Dock	150,000		1			10	
Robertson and Wrench	[illegible]	1	1	4	5		6
Hide and Oil	75,[illegible]	1	15			3.6	4.1
Mt. Lyell	[illegible]	1	1	50	1.01	1.01	1.05
Sil. Ruth.	30,000	15	10	7	14½	14	15½
Sil. Hydr.	75,[illegible]		2	30	21.0	21	
Lion & Berrie. Barnard's Dep.			15			12	
Industrial Prov	107,45[illegible]			6			
Intercolonial	82,904	25		10	12.6	12	
Metro. Build. Deb.							
Excelsior Dep.					7.1	7	7.6
Friend. B. Dep.							
Perl. & Sub. Dep.							10.0

It is generally reported by bankers that the monthly bills of country traders, so far as yet known, have been well met, and unless the more distant districts should give less satisfactory results, the "Fourth" will prove a favourable one. Keener competition has developed in London exchange business, lately current rates having been cut in some instances by 2s 6d per cent.

In our advertisement columns will be found the prospectus of a company to be registered under provisions of the Companies Acts in the name of the Householders' Co-operative Stores, Limited. The object of the company is to establish large stores on the co-operative principle, such as are carried on successfully in England and elsewhere, the business to embrace the sale of all articles for family consumption and domestic use. The amount of the capital is £30,000, divided into 25,000 preference shares of £1 each, and 5000 ordinary shares of £1 each. The preference shares which are offered to the public will be payable, 1s per share on application, 5s per share on allotment, and the balance as the directors may deem requisite, these shares to be entitled to receive a preferential dividend for the year at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum. Of the ordinary shares 2500 fully paid up are to be issued to Messrs. S. Hoffnung and Co., as part consideration for the granting of the lease of Nos. 159, 161, and 163 Pitt-street, adjoining the Post Office, and in consideration of a substantial reduction of the rent for the first seven years of the lease. And the remaining 2500 ordinary shares are to be offered to the preference shareholders in the proportion of one to ten on the terms stated, and to receive one-fifth of the net profits of each year after payment of the preferential dividends and making provision for the payment of bonuses to cash purchasers at the stores. Prospectuses and forms of application may be obtained from Messrs. Hardie and Gorman, the brokers; or from Messrs. Dibbs, Gibson, and Parker, solicitors.

An extraordinary general meeting of the Port Jackson Co-operative Steamship Company was held to-day, when Mr. J. Woods, the chairman, having stated that the debenture holders had agreed to accept half the rate of any dividend or bonus declared by the company on its shares, the resolution adopted at the recent meeting for the reduction of capital from £100,000 in shares of £5 to £59,000 in shares of £2 19s each, and the cancelling of £2 1s per share of capital, was confirmed.

The fourth annual report of the Dubbo Co-operative Milling Company to September 30 shows profit for the year amounting to £824. A dividend at the rate of 7½ per cent. was declared, absorbing £800, and a balance of £1304 carried forward to next year, as compared with £1280 brought forward from last year. A plentiful supply of wheat for the new year is considered to be assured.

The Bank of England return shows a shrinkage in the reserve of £743,000, the proportion to liabilities also having slightly declined. On the week the bank lost coin and bullion to the amount of £434,000. The open market rate is 1-16 per cent. lower, but at 2¼ per cent. is only ¾ per cent. below the bank rate. Consols are up ¾—a rise probably due as much to the termination of the Indian difficulties as to the state of the money market. Most of the movements in colonial securities are upward, though the recovery has not been so great as in Consols.

The movements of prices of Australian products this week have been downward in all cases. Bradford tops have given way ½d per lb. Silver has fallen 1½d per oz., and tin and copper 5s per ton.

IMPORT MARKET.

More wholesale business was transacted to-day than has been the case for some little time. The breadstuffs market, however, in no way participated in the improvement. Tea moved off considerably more actively, there being a large turnover in both Ceylons and Indians, but especially the latter. Brewers' crystals changed hands rather freely. White ordinary grocery sugars met with a steady demand at recently current rates. A large distributing business was done in dried fruits at prices which come very near cost, and the usual farthing which separates the price between city houses and that charged to their customers has for the time changed sides as it were. In other words, a large city house desirous of purchasing 500 boxes would have to pay ½d more than an Oxford-street retailer who wanted but five cases. To such extremes has competition led. In the meantime the wholesale prices tend towards higher levels, advanced prices being asked for fruit some distance off. Ales and seasonable liquors moved off freely. Brewers' goods were also keenly sought after. Fencing wire ruled rather firmer, while the price of tinplates was well maintained. A good deal of business took place in cornsacks on spot and to arrive. Kerosene also had considerable attention at the reduced prices recently established. Both plaster and rosin were inquired for.

Breadstuffs.—Prices were practically nominal throughout, in the absence of business of note. Prime Riverina wheat was quoted at 4s 6d Darling Harbour delivery. Flour remained at £12 for New South Wales roller, £11 to £11 5s for New Zealand, and £12 15s to £13 5s for Manitoba.

Excellent reports continue to come to hand from the Darling Downs in Queensland, where the area under wheat is double that of last year, and a record harvest is anticipated. In the Maranoa district also, good crops are expected, an average yield of 16 bushels being looked for by the local manager of the Queensland Milling Company.

Crop prospects in New Zealand seem fairly favourable on the whole, while old stocks do not seem inordinately heavy. Messrs. William E. Reynolds and Co., writing from Dunedin on October 26, give the following information:—"The prospects of the next year's harvest are so far, we consider, good, while the area under crop, we think, will be found to be rather larger than usual. What we want now is some nice warm weather, which, seeing we are so far advanced in the season, it is reasonable to expect soon. It would appear as if millers and holders in New Zealand considered stocks were none too large for home consumption, otherwise prices would recede, for it is not easy, if in fact possible, to effect sales in Australia at to-day's quotations, which we give at 4s 5d for prime long-berried, and 4s 3d to 4s 5d for red sorts per bushel (f.o.b., sacks in, not cash)." As pointed out in Messrs. Kaye and Carter's last circular, unlike Australia, New Zealand has still four months' requirements ahead of her before new wheat is available. A heavy protective tariff would prevent the pouring in of supplies from here should there be a pinch in New Zealand.

Rather higher prices are cabled to-night, and in all three leading markets the tone is well sustained. The message compares with that of last week as follows:—

Market.	October 29.	November 5.
English	Firm, with an upward tendency	Firm, but little business doing
Continental	Tending upward	Tending upward
American	Showing a general advance	Showing a general advance

The cable quotations are as follows:—

	Oct. 22.	Oct. 29.	Nov. 5.
Californian No. 1 Milling	36s 3d	38s 3d	38s 3d
Russian cargoes, Ghirka	35s 6d	36s	36s 6d
No. 1 Hard Duluth (new)	39s 6d	40s	40s 3d

Sugar.—Soft Queensland whites sold steadily at £18 5s to £18 10s, and yellows but slowly at £17 to £17 10s. Business aggregating 50 tons of Mauritius (new crop) brewing crystals was done ex Golden Fleece, which arrived recently at Melbourne, at £20 10s. It is understood that a direct shipment for Sydney has been negotiated for to arrive from Mauritius about the end of December.

Tea.—Partly owing to the expected easing in Indians which is usual at this time of the year not having taken place, and partly through the anticipated shortage in Ceylons in the next few steamers, these descriptions were more freely sought after. 200 chests of Indian pekoe souchongs and pekoes sold at 7d to 8d; 60 chests Ceylon brokens, 8½d to 9½d; 70 half-chests ditto, 10½d; 14 chests ditto, 9½d; and 30 half-chests ditto, 11d.

The quantity of tea offered and the proportion sold at auction during the month of October and to date this year compare with the same periods last year as follows:—

Month.	Ceylons. Offered.	Ceylons. Sold.	Indians. Offered.	Indians. Sold.	Chinas. Offered.	Chinas. Sold.	Total. Offered.	Total. Sold.
Oct. 1897	5,0[illegible]	2,755	3,124	947	2,412	1,321	11,44[illegible]	5,003
1896	[illegible]	1,320	2,430	1,187	[illegible]	5,134	14,2[illegible]	7,041
To date. 1897	19,8[illegible]	9,5[illegible]	18,597	11,914	70,468	21,329	119,[illegible]	79,800
1896	25,974	15,8[illegible]	7,183	[illegible]	97,365	51,608	139,2[illegible]	71,157

Comparing October with the preceding month we find that larger quantities of both Indian and Ceylon teas were offered at auction, but Chinas show a considerable shrinkage. When October of this year is compared with October of last year, this general movement is even more distinctly marked. It is only when the totals to date are examined, however, that any real insight can be gained as to the tendencies of the trade. Doing so it is found that as far as this year has proceeded the offerings of Ceylon tea have more than doubled, the actual sales showing scarcely so considerable an increase. A slight increase is noted in the business done in Indians, but this does not exceed 20 per cent. The offerings of Chinas are somewhat smaller, but the actual sales of this description have shrunk more than 50 per cent. Taking the results as a whole, it is seen that auction business is slowly gaining in popular favour, for though the quantity of tea offered publicly this year was not as large as last year, still the quantity sold was exceeded. Should this movement continue private business may be expected to be a still less important factor in the tea trade as the months roll on.

Groceries.—Herrings were firm, 100 cases of Muir's fresh changing hands at 4s. Kippers and herrings in tomato of the same brand were held for 5s 6d. Candles were very quiet, being offered at reduced rates. Three tons of Colman's packet starch went at £25. Gold Medal milk met with the usual distributing demand.

Dried Fruits.—Currants are still being sold in small lots at 4¼d, and elemes and sultanas at 5¼d. Several hundred boxes of sultanas sold in fair lines at 5¼d, some holders asking more. Dates were quoted at 2½d, walnuts at 4½d, soft-shelled almonds at 4d, and Jordan almonds at 1s 4½d.

Liquors.—Large sales of M'Ewan's bulk and case ale were reported at agents' prices. Good deliveries of Bernard's were made ex Warrnambool, and the new brew sold ex Austral to arrive. Red Cross lager moved off well on account of the warm weather. Hennessy's brandy remained at 34s 3d and 45s 9d for one and three-star respectively. Marie Brizard's three-star sold well at 42s 6d, and one-star was in usual request at 30s. Key gin changed hands on the basis of 10s 6d for 15-bottle. Gilbey's dry gin and Wolfe's schnapps were asked for. Lowndes's rum was still quoted quiet at 2s 4½d for hogsheads and quarters. Lamb's bulk and Golden Grove had a regular demand. Usher's, Robertson's, Gaelic, Walker's, John Jamieson's, and John Dunn's whiskies met with the usual trade demand. Preller's, Chablis, and Sauterne moved off rather well. Rose's lime juice and cordial had some attention. Pommery and Heidsieck champagne moved off at usual rates.

Brewers' Goods.—Twenty bales of Oregon hops in the aggregate were taken at 10d. Tasmanians met with a steady inquiry at 1s 1d. Ten pockets of Kents ex Ormuz sold at 1s 6d, and 20 pockets ex Valetta at 1s 3d. Malt remained at 8s 6d to 8s 9d for good samples of English. Five hundredweight of Penang leaf isinglass changed hands at 4s 6d, and 5cwt. of Brazil lump at 4s 10½d. Stocks in first hands were light.

Hardware.—Fencing wire ruled rather firmer at £8 2s 6d on spot for No. 8, and £8 10s for No. 10. Eighteen tons of the former sold to arrive ex Friederich der Grosse at £8 2s 6d. Barbed wire went in small parcels ex County of Clare at £13 10s. 500 casks of cement were placed at 10s 6d, and 100 of K.B.S. at the same figure. 120 rolls of two and three ply ruberoid were sold ex County of Clare.

Jute Goods.—25 bales of cornsacks were taken for December delivery at 4s 7d; 18 bales ex store at the same figure; and 50 bales to arrive ex Darius, 4s 6½d. Branbags ruled quiet at 3s 1d. Loose-end heavy weight woolpacks sold at 1s 7½d for 11½lb., and 1s 8d for 12lb.

Oils.—Several 500-case lots of kerosene changed hands at 8¼d, 8½d being asked for smaller parcels. The market was rather active. Castor remained at 2s 8d; and linseed oil at 2s 2d and 2s 4d. 100 drums of Stockholm tar sold at 5s 9d for export.

The customs revenue received at Sydney to-day amounted to £5987. The principal items were:—

Spirits, £2321; wine, £107; ale, porter, and beer, £29; tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes, £788; sugar and molasses, £311; opium, £48; dried and candied fruits, £79; confectionery, £12; glucose, solid, £12; jams and jellies, £30; harbour and light rates, £16; pilotage, £27; harbour dues, £11; colonial distilled spirits, £27; excise on tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes, £800; excise on beer, £1037. Total, £5987.

EXPORT MARKET.

Wool Receipts.—At Darling Harbour to-day 5556 bales of wool were manifested, 2466 arrived coastwise, and 1234 bales came forward by rail at Newcastle yesterday. During the past week ended Friday 36,721 bales of wool arrived by rail at Darling Harbour, and 10,581 were received coastwise, making a total of 47,302 bales.

Produce for the Cape.—Small shipments of butter and larger ones of frozen meat have from time to time left this colony for South Africa. It may accordingly be of interest to know what are the actual annual imports of produce into the Cape. In 1896 the chief items were as follow:—Butter, 1,981,749lb.; cheese, 2,022,484lb.; jam, 1,037,404lb.; manufactured sweets, 2,377,042lb.; barley, 973,090lb.; oats, 9,594,603lb.; wheat, 174,285,431lb.; flour, 13,896,392lb.; hay, 13,180cwt.; meats, frozen, 2,892,228lb.; potatoes, 5,375,625lb.; golden syrup, 2,544,060lb.; and tallow, 121,863lb.

ENGLISH COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, Nov. 6.

Bank of England Returns.

The Bank of England reserve of notes and coin is £20,715,000, as compared with £21,458,000 last week and £25,471,000 during the corresponding week last year. The proportion of reserves to liabilities is 47·03, as against 47·63 last week and 51·56 last year. The circulation is £27,579,000, against £27,270,000 last week and £27,136,000 last year. The complete returns are:—

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes issued	£46,138,000	Government securities	£11,015,000
		Other securities	5,785,000
		Gold and silver coin	29,338,000
	£46,138,000		£46,138,000

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' capital	14,553,000	Government securities	£12,691,000
Rest, 7-day, and other bills	3,890,000	Other securities	28,841,000
Public deposits	6,780,000	Notes	18,559,000
Other deposits	37,112,000	Gold and silver coin	2,156,000
	£62,347,000		£62,247,000

Money Market.

The market rate of discount for three months' bills is 1-16 lower at 2¼ per cent. The Bank of England rate remains at 3 per cent., against 2½ on October 13 and 2 per cent. on September 16, at which figure it stood since May 13.

Consols and Australian Stocks.

Current quotations for Consols and Australian Government stocks, compared with those of October 29, are as follows:—

	Nov. 7, 1896.	Oct. 29, 1897.	Nov. 5, 1897.	Rise or Fall.
2¾ per cent. Consols	109½	111½	112¼	¾ rise
N.S.W. 4's, 1933, Jan.-July	118	122½	122½	unch.
N.S.W. 3½'s, 1918, March-Sept.	106	107½	107½	unch.
N.S.W. 3's, 1935, April-Oct.	100½	101	101½	½ rise
Vict. 4's, 1920, Jan.-July	111½	112½	113	½ rise
Vict. 3½'s, 1921-26, Jan.-July	104½	107	107½	unch.
S. Aust. 3's, 1916, Jan.-July	—	100½	100	½ fall
S. Aust. 3½'s, 1939, April-Oct.	109	110½	110½	unch.
Q'land 4's, 1915-24, Jan.-July	110½	113	113½	½ rise
Q'land 3½'s, 1924-30, Jan.-July	105½	107	107½	½ rise
N. Zealand 4's, 1929, May-Nov.	110	114½	114½	unch.
N. Zealand 3½'s, 1940, Jan.-July	105½	109	108½	½ fall
N. Zealand 3's, 1945, April-Oct.	99½	101	101	unch.
Tasmania 3½'s, 1920-40, Jan.-July	107½	110½	110	½ fall
West Australian 3½'s, 1915-35, May-Nov.	108½	106	106	unch.

The Metal Market.

Copper, Chili.—Flat. Spot, ¼ lower at 47¼; and three months, ¼ lower at 48.

Tin, Australian.—Business is quiet, and ½ lower at 63 on spot, and ½ lower at 63½ for three months.

Pig Iron.—Glasgow warrants, cash, 1½ lower at 45s 4½d per ton.

Lead.—Soft, foreign, unchanged at 13¾ per ton.

Sugar.

The market is steady. German beet is 1½d higher at 8s 6d, and Java cane No. 15DS 3d lower at 10s 6d per cwt.

Bradford Tops.

The market for Bradford tops is weaker, with ½d decline all round. Common sixties are at 18d, and super sixties at 19d per lb.

Wheat Markets.

The English wheat market is firm, with but little business doing. The Continental markets are tending upward, and the American markets are showing a general advance.

Californian No. 1 milling for early shipment is unchanged at 38s 3d c.i.f. per 500lb.

Russian cargoes (Ghirka) 6d higher at 36s 6d per 492lb. c.i.f.

London quotation for parcels of new No. 1 Hard Duluth wheat is 3d higher at 40s 3d per 480lb.

American Visible Supply.

According to "Bradstreet's" estimate the visible supply of wheat and flour in the United States east of the Rockies is 42,609,000 bushels, against 38,506,000 bushels last week and 78,600,000 bushels last year.

Butter.

Danish butter is quoted at 94s per cwt.

Candles.

Candles are quoted at 3¼d per lb.

COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

BRISBANE, Friday.

Maize in fair supply. There is a good demand for shipping. Prime, 2s 1½d; medium, 1s 11d. Chaff, oaten, is scarce. Lucerne and mixed is in good supply. Mixed prime, 2s 6d to 3s 1d; inferior, 1s 6d to 2s 3d; oaten, prime 5s, inferior 1s 9d to 2s 6d; lucerne, prime 2s 6d to 2s 9d, inferior 2s. Potatoes are not in large supply, and the demand is good. Prime shipping sorts, 3s 3d to 3s 9d; medium, 2s 6d to 3s.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Business was of good extent on the Stock Exchange to-day, especially considering the attention given to racing matters. As regards investment stocks little change can be noted in quotations, the principal alteration being in Silverton Tramways, which, after realising advanced price of £5 2s, quitted down to £5. Victorian Government 4 per cent. debentures sold at £116; Metropolitan Board of Works 3½ per cent. (1917), £101; ditto (1927), £101; Commercial Bank Preference, 75s; National, ordinary, 43s; Metropolitan Gas, £7 17s 6d; Melbourne Tramway and Omnibus, 12s 6d; Broken Hill Water Supply, 18s; Victoria Bank Preference, £10 8s; English Scottish Bank deposit receipts (debentures), 17s 10d.

Wheat is steady at 5s 2½d to 5s 3d, with business at 5s 3d. Flour is in slightly better demand at £12 7s 6d to £13 10s. Bran is firm at 11d to 11½d. Pollard, 10½d. A good business is done in Algerian feed oats at 1s 3d to 1s 5d; stout white oats, 1s 11½d. Maize, 2s 4d to 2s 4½d. Chaff, £2 10s to £3; prime green, nominal at £3 10s. Ballarat potatoes, 45s to 50s. Onions, £13 to £13 10s. A small business was done in Mauritius rations and Queensland white sugar. At the tea auction 634 packages Ceylon were offered, and 339 packages sold. There was good demand at full late rates, especially for common grades. Broken Orange Pekoe and broken Pekoe at 8½d to 1s; Pekoe, 6½d to 10½d; Pekoe souchong, 5½d to 7½d; dust and fannings, 4½d to 7½d. Large sales of new sultanas to arrive per Augsburg and old sultanas on the spot have been made at 6½d to 7d; new currants, 5½d; elemes, for export, 4d f.o.b.; figs, to arrive for export, 3s 9d; dates, 5½d. Tinned salmon is fairly active. New salt salmon, 4½d; ling, 4d; whiting is firmer at £4. About 50 tons No. 8 wire sold. Kerosene is in steady demand at 9½. Considerable purchases of Chinese oil have been made up to 2s 11d. A considerable quantity of Blundell and Spence's raw and boiled linseed oil sold for export.

PRODUCE INWARDS.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The Time sailed to-day for Sydney, via Geelong, with a quantity of produce, 496 bags malt, 60 cases preserved rabbits, 57 chests tea, 140 bags oats, and original cargo from Adelaide for Sydney.

DAIRYING INDUSTRY.

MILTON, Friday.

The output at the Central Butter Factory this week was 10,800lb.

WOLLONGONG, Friday.

The twenty-fourth half-yearly report of the Albion Park Dairy Company states that, considering that the winter was one of the most severe ever experienced in the district, the quantity of milk supplied to the factory was satisfactory, although not half of the quantity that would have been supplied had the season been an ordinarily good one. During the six months under review the total quantity of milk received was 280,202 gallons, of which 95,474 gallons were treated at the company's factories, producing 40,098lb of butter, the average thus being 24lb. 6oz. of milk to 1lb. of butter. The average test was 3·55, and the average price obtained was 10½d per lb. The average price paid to suppliers of milk, after deducting all expenses, was 5½d per gallon. A dividend at the rate of 7½ per cent. was recommended.

PRODUCE MARKET.—Friday.

REVIEW OF THE WEEK.

The opening of the month as usual led to increased business, which assumed fair proportions as the week advanced. Good supplies arrived coastwise and by rail. Movements in prices have been numerous, and mostly in buyers' favour. The principal changes, as in the previous week, occurred in perishable articles, which have suffered a further decline. Maize had a fair amount of attention. Prices receded slightly owing to increased supplies arriving from Queensland. The market for oats continued depressed, with prices inclined to weaken. Other feed-grain lines were in slow demand at last week's rates. Both bran and pollard had improved sale at advanced prices. Local chaff commanded a fair amount of attention. Imported brands were more or less neglected at reduced prices, owing to the plentiful supplies of local makes. A fair demand was noted for lucerne hay at slightly advanced rates. Oaten hay and straw moved steadily at about last week's prices. New local potatoes were in demand at lower rates, old tubers being hard to quit at very low figures. Onions have also eased in prices somewhat, the inquiry being steady. All dairy lines found ready sale. Apart from a fall in the price of hens and ducks and a rise in eggs, quotations were unaltered.

TRADE IN SUSSEX-STREET.

A steady business was done in general produce to-day, movements in prices being few and of little moment. Ample supplies were under offer. The demand for maize was less active, the bulk of the sales being made at 2s 4d. Inland maize was hard to quit at yesterday's rates. Oats remained quiet, and the same may be said of other feedgrain lines. Both bran and pollard were in demand at firm prices. Imported chaff had a moderate amount of attention at reduced rates. Lucerne sold steadily at quotations. Old potatoes were neglected, new local tubers being in good demand up to £4 per ton. Onions were rather scarce. All lines of dairy produce were in good request. Beyond a rise in eggs no change in prices occurred.

From Messrs. W. E. Reynolds and Co.'s Dunedin report, dated October 26, we learn that oats in Canterbury, N.Z., are in short supply, but nevertheless prices have receded. The reason given is that the demand from all Australian ports has been very poor of late, doubtless through the season having been a good one in most of the colonies.

FEED-GRAIN MARKET.

Maize.—Fair demand. River maize 2s 4d, inland 2s 4½d per bushel.

Oats.—Plentiful and dull. New Zealand prime feed, 2s 3d to 2s 3½d; medium, 2s 1d to 2s 2d; local, prime, 2s 2d to 2s 3d per bushel.

Barley.—Imported Cape barley, nominal. English prime, 2s 3d per bushel.

Peas.—Blue, 5s; grey, 3s 6d to 3s 9d per bushel.

Chickwheat.—Prime, 3s 9d to 3s 10d, second-class 3s 6d to 3s 8d, screenings 2s 6d to 2s 9d per bushel.

BRAN AND POLLARD.

Bran and pollard were in improved demand at quotations. Bran was quoted at 8½d and pollard at 9d per bushel.

BREADSTUFFS.

Leading roller brands, £12; New Zealand, £11 to £11 5s; Manitoba, red £12 12s 6d, blue £12 15s, on spot. Local wheat is nominal at 4s 6d per bushel, Darling Harbour delivery.

POTATO MARKET.

Potatoes.—New Clarence River, prime, £4; New Zealand Derwent, £1 10s to £2 5s; Ballarat, £2 10s per ton.

FORAGE MARKET.

Straw.—Derrick-pressed, imported, prime, £2 5s to £2 7s 6d; local, £2 5s; local bundled, £2 5s to £2 10s per ton.

Hay.—Local oaten in bundles, prime, £4 10s to £5; extra prime, £5 5s; medium, £3 10s to £4 2s 6d per ton.

Lucerne.—Hunter River: Fair quality, £1 15s; prime, £2 to £2 2s 6d per ton.

Chaff.—Good supply. Imported: Ordinary prime, £4; extra prime, £4 5s; medium, £3 to £3 15s. Local: Ordinary prime, £4 to £4 10s; prime green, £4 15s to £5; medium, £3 5s to £3 17s 6d per ton.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Honey.—Plentiful. Slow sale. Garden honey, choice, 2½d; second-class quality, 2d per lb.

Beeswax.—Choice, 1s per lb.

Onions.—Local, new, £7; Melbourne, £8 per ton.

Lard.—Finely rendered, in bladders, 5½d to 6d; bulk, 4½d to 5d per lb.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter.—Very plentiful. Finest creamery, 9d. South Coast quote choice creamery 9d, Berry Creamery 9d. Foley Brothers quote choicest creamery 9d per lb.

Eggs.—North 6½d to 7d, South 7d, choice brands 7½d per dozen.

Bacon and Hams.—Small stocks. Active demand. Mild-cured, 7½d; hand-cured prime, 7½d; second-class, 7d; farmers', 6d to 6½d; middles, 8½d; Bodalla sides, 7½d; flitches, 7d; middles, 8½d; Barnes's "B in a circle," 7½d; M'Lean's bacon, 7½d; local hams, in cloth, 8d to 8½d; very choice, 9d; New Zealand, Queensland, and mild-cured, choice, 9d; English, 10d per lb.

Cheese.—Prime loaf, 5d to 5½d; large, 4½d to 5d; choice, 5d to 5½d; New Zealand, very large 4d to 4½d, medium, 4½d to 5d; loaf, 5½d per lb.

Poultry.—Moderate supply. Fair demand. Fowls, 2s 6d to 2s 9d; large young roosters, 3s 6d; prime, 4s; ducks, 2s 9d to 3s; prime, 3s 6d; Muscovy ducks, 5s 6d to 4s 6d; geese, 4s to 4s 6d; turkeys, cocks 8s to 13s, hens 5s to 6s per pair.

THE WOOD MARKET.

Moderate supply. Demand dull. Firewood, good, 9s to 10s; inferior, 5s 6d to 7s; bundles, good, 9s to 10s 6d; inferior, 6s to 7s 6d; billet, good, 7s to 9s; inferior, 5s to 6s; bakers' split, good, 6s to 7s; inferior, 5s to 5s 6d; large green, 5s to 5s 6d per ton.

REDFERN SALE.

At the Redfern Railway Terminus Produce Markets this morning a fair supply of forage was submitted at auction. All lines except maize were in demand, prices realised being much the same as those obtained on the previous day. Ordinary prime old chaff sold at 4s 4d, medium qualities going at 3s 3d to 3s 9d. Very prime new chaff made 4s 1d, and fair quality 3s 3d per cwt. Sheaves were again a trifle weaker, with good demand, at 1s 9d to 2s 5d per cwt. Prime lucerne hay, in trusses, commanded attention at 2s 6d to 2s 8d per cwt. Bright bundled straw found a buyer at 2s 6d per cwt. Prime old rack oaten hay brought 5s, and inferior quality, 3s. New wheaten hay fetched to 2s 6d per cwt. Turnips were dull of sale at 10d to 1s 4d per cwt., maize being hard to move at yesterday's rates.

Appended are the proportions of the various descriptions actually submitted at to-day's sale:—Chaff, 21 trucks; bran, 1; turnips, 3; maize, 2; hay, 5; sheaves, 6; and lucerne, 6.

Among the consignees were:—Messrs. Dent and Perry, A. M'Arthur and Co., Heaton Brothers, H. M. Suttor and Co., R. Hall and Sons, H. Prescott and Co., John W. Gray and Co., John Campbell, Robert Little and Co., Ellis and Co., Inglis and Son, John Bridge, Robinson, Grimes, and Co., and South Coast Company.

Supplies were disposed of as follows:—

Chaff.—From Death, Blayney, (truck No. 5416) 4s 4d; T. Pratley, Mandurama, (5027) and (6448) 2s; A'Beckett, Mary Vale, (5773) and (6904) 3s 4d, (7138) and (9712) 3s 5d; Tait, Wellington, (2913) 3s; M'Alister, (3401) 3s 3d, (2911) 4s 1d; J. Pratley, George's Plains, (4417) 3s 9d; Walsh, Spring Hill, (5229) passed. A. Basham, (5192) passed; Davis, (7152) 3s 6d; Lord, Junee, (3451) 3s 5d; Lotterton, Cootamundra, (5724) passed; J. Watts, Cargo-road, (5880) 3s 3d; Fogarty, Lime Siding, (1562) and (4724) passed; Pratley, Kelso, (3224) passed; F. M'Kean, Tarana, (7805) 3s per cwt.

Hay.—From Albury, Camden, (9741) 2s 6d; Soden, Perth, (2210) 5s and 5s; Marriott, Millthorpe, (2927) 2s 4d; Wilson, Wallerawang, (1087) passed; Wallace, Camden, (6033) 2s 4d per cwt.

Wheaten Sheaves.—From May, Mulgrave, (4164) 2s 5d; Dunstan, Windsor, (8776) 1s 9d, Horan, (4729) 2s; R. ..., (5667) passed; Armstrong, Clarendon, (8710) 2s; Armstrong, Richmond, (271) 2s per cwt.

Maize.—From Denham Brothers, Jennings, (9187) passed; Donovan, (872) part 2s 4½d per bushel.

Lucerne.—From Laidlaw, Mooney, (truck No. 1989) passed; Martin, Windsor, (2175) 2s 6d; Greentree, (6633) passed; Ryan, (2734) 2s 6d; Horan, (4729) 2s 8d; Rutter, (7...) 2s 8d per cwt.

Turnips.—From Byrnes, Penrith, (163) 1s 4d, Coffee, (1221) 10d; D. Salter, Windsor, (5332) 1s 4d per cwt.; R. Turnbull, passed.

Bran.—From Chicken, Corowa, (8371) passed.

Straw.—Bundled: From Murray, Brewongle, (2293) 2s 6d per cwt.

PRODUCE RETURN.

The following is a return of the principal lines of produce received by rail at the Redfern railway terminus produce markets for the week ended Friday, November 5, together with the figures for the corresponding period of the previous year:—

	Hay.	Chaff.	Straw.	Maize.	Whe't.	Bran.	Pl'rd.
	Tr'ks.	Tr'ks.	Tr'ks.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1897	56	107	11	167½	11½	51	11
1896	56	126	4	—	—	80½	22

FRUIT MARKETS.

A brisk business was transacted in the fruit trade at the various metropolitan markets this morning. Supplies under offer were only moderate. Both Tasmanian and American apples were in active request at considerably advanced prices. Pines and bananas had good attention at about late rates. Oranges commanded ready sale, the only change in prices to record being a rise in medium and inferior descriptions. Lemons were plentiful, with the demand somewhat slow. Mandarins, loquats, and passionfruit sold well at quotations. Local cherries arrived rather late in the day, as did the first shipment from Melbourne. The demand for cherries continued brisk at exceptionally high prices. Strawberries sold readily at late firm prices. Tomatoes and cucumbers, owing to the lack of quality, were hard to quit at low prices.

Current quotations are:—

Lemons.—Local, large rough 3s to 3s 6d, good 4s to 5s 6d, choice 6s per gincase.

Passionfruit.—Choice 14s, prime 9s to 12s, medium 6s to 8s, inferior 4s per gincase; choice 8s per half-case.

Strawberries.—8d to 1s, good 1s 6d, choice 2s to 2s 3d per quart.

Apples.—Limited supply. Scarlet Pearmain, choice 12s to 15s, small from 6s to 9s; French Crabs, medium 8s to 6s 6d, choice 7s to 8s; Sturmers, choice 10s 6d to 11s 6d, second-class 7s to 8s; jam apples, 1s to 2s per case. American: Spitzbergen, 15s to 16s per case.

Bananas.—Queensland to 1s, good 1s 6d to 2s, choice 2s 6d to 3s per bunch. Cases: 8s to 9s double case.

Oranges.—Windfalls and rough-pulled, inferior, 3s to 5s; good, 6s to 7s; medium, 7s to 8s 6d; prime, 9s to 10s 6d; choice (thin skinned), 11s to 12s per case.

Pines.—Common, 6s to 7s; Queens, 8s to 8s 6d, choice 9s per case.

Cucumbers.—Queensland, 5s to 6s 6d a double case, 2s to 3s a single case.

Gooseberries.—Local 3s to 4s per quarter-case.

Cherries.—Melbourne, 15s per quarter; local, choice, 14s to 15s; others 10s to 11s per quarter case; Young district, choice, 15s per 18lb. box.

THE CITY YARDS.

The following additional reports have been sent in:—

Messrs. William Inglis and Son.—Milch cows: There was a fair number to hand at our yards on Thursday. In addition to the usual trade attendance, two country buyers purchased largely and helped the market, which was a little firmer for best quality, though we cannot record any improvement in values. There was a moderate number of dry and fat cattle forward, and prices for the latter much better than on the previous Thursday. We quote—Best cows £6 to £8, good £4 to £5, medium £2 10s to £3 10s, inferior £1 10s to £2 10s. We sold—49 milch cows, £1 1s 6d to £8; 21 dry cows, £1 to £2 17s 6d; 19 fat cows, £3 5s to £5; 30 calves (Carroll), 6s to 20s; 19 (Spering), 9s to 15s; 10 (Cooper), 7s to 15s; 11 (Percival), 7s 6d to 20s; and 31 (in smaller lots), 4s 6d to 19s 6d; 70 pigs (Camden), 19s 6d to 58s; 22 (Campbelltown), 14s to 37s; 36 (suburban lots), 10s to 50s; 103 store pigs, 4s 6d to 11s 6d.

Messrs. Maiden Brothers sold over 460 pigs, comprising the following lots:—120 from the Clarence River to 58s, 12 from Cobargo to 58s 6d, 31 from Nabiac 58s, 114 from Manning River to 49s, 15 from Richmond River to 45s, 22 from Bodalla to 35s, 9 from the Bellinger River to 39s, 22 from Central Tilba to 29s, 23 from Bermagui to 34s 6d, 16 from Coff's Harbour to 60s, 48 from Port Macquarie to 38s, also many small lots from local constituents at top rates.

STOCK AND STATION PRODUCE.

The Sydney Wool-selling Brokers' Association (the Australasian Mortgage and Agency Company, Limited, John Bridge and Co., Limited, Campbell, Nimmo, and Wyly, Dalgety and Co., Limited, Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Limited, Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, Hill, Clark, and Co., New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, Limited, Pastoral Finance Association, Limited, Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., and J. C. Young and Co.) report:—

Sheepskins.—Whilst choice skins, both full wools and pelts, for the most part retained their position, the demand for medium and faulty qualities ruled easier, in sympathy with the trend of wool values, and in very many instances a decline of fully ½d per lb. had to be accepted. Quotations: Full wools, 4½d to 5½d; medium, 3½d to 4½d; short, 2½d to 3½d; pelts, 2d to 3d per lb.

Hides.—Supplies for several weeks past have shown a steady falling-off, and both local users and shippers competed freely for the small quantity available at yesterday's auctions. Prices for all descriptions ruled very firm, well-conditioned hides in many cases selling at an advance of par to ½d per lb. Quotations:—Meat Works: Hides, free from ticks, superior and good heavy (none offering); medium, 4½d to 4¾d; light, 3½d to 4d. Meat Works: Slightly ticky heavy, 4½d to 4¾d; medium, 3½d to 4d; light, 3½d to 3¾d. Butchers: Heavy (60lb. and upwards), best, 3¾d to 4d; fair to good, 3½d to 3¾d; extra heavy and of prime substance, 4½d to 4¾d; medium (50lb. to 58lb.), good, 3¾d to 3½d; ordinary 3½d to 3½d; faulty, 1½d to 3¼d. Queensland: Best, 3¼d to 4½d; light (38lb. to 45lb.), good, 3½d to 3¾d; sloppy, 3½d to 3¾d; faulty, 1½d to 3d. Queensland: Best, 3½d to 3¾d; dry station, 3½d to 4¼d; faulty, 1d to 3½d.

Tallow.—At the opening sales yesterday a slight dullness was apparent, but this soon wore off and both sections of the trade competed freely for the limited supply available. Mixed sorts improved in value to the extent of 2s 6d per ton. Quotations: Prime mutton, £17 7s 6d to £17 15s; medium mutton (nominal), £17 to £17 5s; prime mixed, £16 10s to £16 17s 6d; medium, £16 2s 6d to £16 7s 6d; prime beef, £16 7s 6d to £16 12s 6d; medium beef (nominal), £15 15s to £16 5s; broken parcels, £11 10s to £14. The number of casks offered was 444, of which 298 were sold.

Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Limited, report:—Hides: Fair supplies were catalogued and offered to a full attendance of buyers. There was a brisk market, with a strong competition for all good-conditioned lines. Lightweight hides showed an occasional advance of ½d per lb., whilst the advance on heavies was as much as ½d, and in some cases even more was obtainable. Tallow: Fairly large catalogues were submitted, and prices were well maintained, being quite on a par with previous values, whilst in mixed tallow an occasional advance of 2s 6d per ton was forthcoming. Sheepskins: Prices ruled practically on a par with those obtainable at last week's sales, shippers and local consumers operating with equal freedom.

PROPERTY SALES.

Notwithstanding a more vigorous attempt to push business in certain directions this week buyers have not responded in any satisfactory way, and the result has been that comparatively few lines out of the salesmen's catalogues have changed hands. High land on the North Shore railway line continues to be more sought after than that in other directions. Still, suburban lands are offered with more or less success, though at much lower prices than were current a few years back. To-morrow Messrs. Hardie and Gorman will offer the Parkview Estate, and Batt, Rodd, and Purves, Limited, will submit the Meriam Estate, Ryde. The following reports of business have been furnished:—

Hardie and Gorman report having sold during the week, by public auction and private treaty, the following properties:—Manly (in conjunction with Mr. H. T. Robey): Family residence and grounds, situate at Manly Point, for the sum of £3000. Balmain: Block of land, having 60ft. frontage to Broadstairs-street, being portion of Sawyers's Estate, at £3 per foot, £180. Chippendale: Block of land, having 20ft. frontage to Queen-street, at £6 per foot, £120. Thornleigh: Block of land containing an area of 2½ acres, being portion of the Curtis Estate, at £30 per acre; also a block fronting Pennant Hills-road, portion of the same estate, for £70. Hornsby Junction: On the ground, last Saturday, several blocks of land at prices ranging from £100 to £125 per acre, £385. Cabramatta: Block of land having 50ft. frontage to Railway-parade, being portion of Cabramatta Township, at 12s 6d per foot. Kogarah Bay: Small block of land for £10. And have effected the following lettings:—Business premises, George-street, £380 yearly and taxes; shop and offices, King-street, £468 yearly and taxes; shop and two floors, George-street, £465 yearly; shop and workroom, King-street, £338 yearly and taxes; warehouse, Kent-street, £250 yearly; furnished residence, Billyard-avenue, Elizabeth Bay, £195 yearly; suite of offices, Bridge-street-chambers, Bridge-street, £150 yearly; residence, Macleay-street, Potts Point, £140 yearly; two floors in Hunter-street, £125 yearly; premises, Erskine-street, £146 13s yearly; ground floor and basement, Clarence-street, £120 yearly; furnished residence, Turramurra, £110 yearly; suite of offices, Clarence-street, £104 yearly; shop, Erskine-street; residence, Glebe Point-road, £96 yearly; residence, Roslyn Gardens, £84 yearly; residence, Dutruc-street, Randwick, £80 yearly; residence, Roslyn-street, £90 yearly; office, Pitt-street, first floor, £72 yearly; office, Pitt-street, Austral-chambers, £52 yearly; residence, Lindfield, £52 yearly. Also several weekly and monthly lettings in city and suburbs.

Richardson and Wrench, Limited, report having sold by auction and private contract during the week the following:—Business premises, fronting the Enmore-road, Enmore, for £800; cottage and adjoining allotment, Marion-street, Leichhardt, for £500; cottage, fronting Marion-street, Leichhardt, for £360; block of land, Anderson-road, Chatswood, for £230; block of land, M'Intosh and Help roads, Chatswood, for £131 8s; 2 allotments of land at Chatswood for £90 and £83 respectively; allotment of land fronting Margaret-street, Newtown, for £64; two allotments, Anderson-road, Chatswood, for £68 and £57 10s respectively; allotment of land, Avenal Estate, Arncliffe, for £36; small allotment in same subdivision for £15; also having leased portions of Holt-Sutherland Estate Company's Sylvania subdivision at 30s per lot per annum.

J. E. Green and Co. report having sold the following:—Various blocks of land at Putty Creek for the sum of £850; Granville, allotments of land fronting Kemp-street for £137 10s; Liverpool, hotel property for £1000; Annandale, residence and land fronting Young-street for £425; St. Peters, block of land, Campbell-street, for £103; Arncliffe, block of land, portion of Tempe House Estate, for £220.

ALBURY WOOL SALES.

ALBURY, Friday.

Messrs. Younghusband and Co. held the opening wool sale of the season to-day, when about 750 bales, chiefly farmers' clips, were catalogued. There was a good attendance of Sydney and Melbourne buyers. The condition of the wool generally showed the effects of the severe season, and growers in fixing reserves did not take this material fact into consideration, and a good deal of wool was passed in. There was, however, a good demand for good-conditioned crossbred and pure Lincoln wool, and scoured pieces sold well. Merino fleece sold up to 7½d and crossbred to 7½d, pieces of merino fetched 5½d and crossbred pieces up to 5d. Greasy lambs sold at 6½d. Bellies sold from 4d to 5d and locks to 2½d; scoured merino pieces slightly faulty fetched 10½d for skins, hides, &c. There was a good competition, the market in all instances being firm at late rates, and in merino skins and marsupials a substantial improvement was shown. In sheepskins 4800 were catalogued. Merinos sold up to 6½d for best, medium from 4½d to 5½d, light and dirty 3½d to 4½d. Crossbreds were hardly so firm, best selling to 5½d, medium from 4½d to 5d. In tallow the market was unchanged. Best butcher's, mixed, in shipping condition, sold to £14, casks £13 15s, tins and oddments to £12 15s. In hides 350 were catalogued, the market being firm at late rates. Fifties to sixties sold from 3½d to 3¾d; 40's to 50's, 3d to 3½d; 30's to 40's, 2½d to 3d. Opossums: 300 dozen were catalogued. Owing to the improvement in the home market, and notwithstanding the lateness of the season, when furs are not so good, there was fully 15 per cent. improvement for all classes. Best ordinary grey sold to 8s 9d; seconds ditto, 4s 6d to 5s 3d, and thirds, 1s 6d to 2s. Kangaroos were on par with the last sales, best fresh and light selling from 1s 4d to 1s 7d, heavy selling from 11d to 1s 2d. In wallabies, best furred, sold from 1s to 1s 2d; tanner's skins from 10d to 11d. Tips brought 1s 8d; beeswax, 11½d; horsehair, 1s 5½d; and cowhair, 10d.

NEWCASTLE TRADE REPORT.

NEWCASTLE, Friday.

An active business has been transacted by the commercial houses of the district during the week closing to-day. The inquiry for Christmas supplies has been maintained, and the prospects of trade both in the district and country for the remainder of the year are encouraging. The flour market is slightly easier, present rates being—N.S.W., £11 15s; New Zealand, £11 5s; and Manitoba, £12 10s. Circular Head potatoes are out of the market, and New Zealanders are coming freely to hand, the market being glutted. The rates asked are from £2 10s to £3. Ballarats are also meeting with a good demand at £3 to £3 5s. Bran at £3 10s and pollard at £3 5s are both in good request. Maize is quoted at 2s 4d to 2s 5d, and oats at 2s 6d. Chaff is moving off satisfactorily at £4 to £4 5s. Onions are easier, and worth from £8 to £10, according to quality. Lucerne hay is mentioned at £2 5s to £2 10s.

Operations have been conducted on a large scale in the dairy produce market during the week, and the activity which has characterised the week's business promises to continue. Country orders have been on an exceptionally liberal scale. The increase in the supplies of cream has resulted in an accumulation in the stocks of butter, and the export trade has been resorted to with a view to keeping the market clear. The large increase in the manufacture of butter must result in a decline in prices, which may be anticipated within the next fortnight. The Menmuir, leaving this port to-morrow, takes about five tons of butter from the Rosebud creamery for Hongkong, Shangai, and Kobe (Japan), as well as shipments for Thursday Island and Port Darwin. The P. and O. liner Victoria will also take 200 boxes of Rosebud butter for the English market. Present rates are:—Kegs, 9d; prints, 10d; separator, 8d; factory, 8½d to 9d; pastry and inferior sorts (scarce), 7d. Cheese is unaltered in value. N.S.W. makes are still being marketed in a very immature condition, while New Zealand factory cheese is coming forward firm and in splendid order. The supply of N.Z. cheese is short of the demand, buyers preferring same to local makes. To-day's quotations are:—N.S.W., large 5½d, loaf 6d; N.Z., large Cheddar 4½d, medium 5½d, loaf 6d, Stiltons 1s 4d. The advance in the price of bacon has served to check sales. Farmers' and rough cures are being readily placed at the lower quotations, while best lines are hard to quit. Rates are:—N.S.W., long sides 7½d, flitches 6½d to 7d, shoulders 4½d to 5d; imported, long sides 8d, flitches 7½d; farmers' and rough cures, 5½d to 6d. Eggs continue plentiful, though slightly firmer in price, the exportations to Victoria having had the effect of hardening the local market. To-day's quotation is 6½d per dozen firm. Lard is a little more plentiful, and consequently values show a slight shrinkage. Bladders are worth 5½d, and good lines of bulk 5d. Honey remains weak, and difficult to quit at 10s 6d to 11s for 60lb. tins of best extracted garden sorts, and 8s 6d to 9s for dark bush and inferior lots. Beeswax is scarce at 1s 2d.

In groceries and general merchandise there is very little alteration to record. Sugar is meeting with a fair demand at the following rates:—No. 1 Company's, £19 10s; No. 3 Company's, £17 10s; Yengarie and Millaquin, Queensland, £19, large demand. Kerosene is still in excellent request, but stocks are light. Rates range from 8s to 8s 3d. The inquiry for dried fruits remains active. New currants at 4½d and sultanas at 6d are both being largely inquired for, while elemes, which are expected to arrive about the middle of the month, are being booked at 6d. Fresh herrings are mentioned at 3s 10½d to 4s. Champion's and Whybrow's vinegar at 5s 6d. W. D. Peacock's jams at 4s 6d, and Windsor jams at 4s 3d. Rice is firmer, and worth £15. Imported candles are moving off at 4½d, and local makes at 3½d to 4½d. Chemicals are without alteration.

The rates for foreign freights are:—San Francisco, 14s to 14s 6d; Honolulu, 12s; Manila, 13s to 13s 6d; Hongkong, 10s 6d; Macassar (offers); Java, 17s to 18s; Valparaiso, 15s to 15s 3d (Pisagua range).

The coal trade has been exceptionally slack, the average daily output at the cranes having been reduced to 8000 tons, as compared with 10,000 tons per day last week.

The week's exports include 275 bales of wool to Victoria, and 36 tons of coke to New Zealand and Victoria.

The following charters are announced:—Patriarch, ship, Newcastle to Manila, coal; Stanley, brigantine, Newcastle to Wellington, coal; Alagonia, steamer, Newcastle to Java, coal; Inca, five-masted schooner, Newcastle to Honolulu, coal; Flensburg, German-Australian steamer, Newcastle to Singapore, coal; Angerona, ship, Newcastle to West Coast, coal.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

LAND AND HOUSES.

BATT, RODD and PURVES.—On the Ground, Ryde Heights, Meriam Hill Estate, at 3, Land.

HARDIE and GORMAN.—On the Ground, Parkview Estate, Waverley, at 3, Land.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

EVANS and CO.—At their Rooms, Newtown, at 3, Furniture, Crockery, &c.

A. G. JENKINS.—At his Rooms, at 10.30, Furniture, Pianos, Overmantels, Pictures, Harmoniums, &c.

DALWOOD and CO.—At their Rooms, at 10.30, Furniture, Toiletware, Gas Stoves, &c.

J. BROWN and CO.—At 3 Ferry-road, Glebe, at 2.30, Furniture, Carpets, Glass, Chinaware, &c.

FARM AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

DENT and PERRY.—At Redfern Station, at 9.15, Hay, Straw, &c.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DENT and PERRY.—At Newtown, at 7, Wood, &c.; at Darling Harbour, at 8, Wood, &c.

CURVATURE IN CHILDREN.

When baby is just beginning to toddle about, you often say she is too heavy for her legs. Now, if you will only go at the subject from the other end, you will be nearer right. Baby is not too heavy for her legs, but the legs are too weak for baby. Consequently, if you are not careful, her bones will soon begin to bend, as they did in the following case:—

"I think that I should be neglecting my duty very much in not giving a true account of the wonderful result of Scott's Emulsion in the case of our little girl. About two years ago my wife took her to the doctor's, as she was very uneasy about her. Her wrists were very much enlarged, her shins were quite bent, and she used to waddle along like a duck. The doctor said it was a case of rickets, and advised my wife to take her to the hospital, which she did. The doctor there ordered her legs to be put in splints, and she was to wear them for two months; but I very soon discontinued them, and my wife said she would try Scott's Emulsion. It had cured our Maud of bronchitis, and we thought it would do this one good. So we started, and, after she had taken about two or three bottles, we could see a wonderful change for the better. We continued to give her Scott's Emulsion until she had taken about 11 bottles. Her legs are as straight as an arrow, and she is as fine a child as you would wish to see. Anyone is quite welcome to come to the above address and see her for themselves. I am never without Scott's Emulsion in my house. My children drink it like drinking milk, they are that fond of it.—Yours truly (signed), JOHN TRATE, The Woodbines, Washwood Heath, near Birmingham, England. January 21st, 1896."

Children need nourishment for their growing bones as well as for the making of healthy flesh. Scott's Emulsion supplies both. It contains the purest Norwegian Cod-liver Oil, combined with the hypophosphites of lime and soda. Both of these remedies are essential to children who do not make satisfactory progress in growth, and in no other form than Scott's Emulsion can the most benefits from them be derived. This is because Scott's Emulsion is a scientific remedy, perfect in manipulation, and better adapted to the needs of the system. It is perfectly palatable, and does not derange digestion.

When children show, by weakness, paleness, thinness, or other evidences, that they are not deriving sufficient nourishment from their food, Scott's Emulsion will quickly restore vitality, flesh, and strength, stimulate their appetite, and make them rosy and robust. It solidifies the bones, enriches the blood, and makes their growth strong and vigorous.

AMUSEMENTS.

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.

All the boys of the Sobraon will attend this afternoon's performance of "Two Little Vagabonds" at Her Majesty's Theatre, the Minister for Public Instruction having willingly granted leave for the acceptance of Messrs. Williamson and Musgrove's invitation. The last 12 nights of Pierre Decourcelle's touching drama are now announced, although large attendances are still the rule at every representation of the emotional piece. On Saturday, November 20, the Knight-Ferrar Company will appear at Her Majesty's Theatre in Wills's romantic, historical, and spectacular drama, "The Royal Divorce."

LYCEUM THEATRE.

Mr. Garnet Walch's sensational drama, "The Prairie King," will be elaborately staged at the Lyceum Theatre this evening, when the chief tableaux will illustrate the Golden Gate Gardens, the settler's homestead on the prairie, the Indian encampment, and the battle between the settlers and the redskins at Brown's Ford. The chief situation will show the fall of a horse and his rider from a lofty bridge into a great tank of water below. Mr. Alfred Woods will direct the production, which will include the following characters:—Harold Hume (the Prairie King), Mr. King Hedley; Rattlesnake Joe, Mr. Harry Overton; James Hamber, Mr. Neville Mayman; Hector O'Hooligan and Konrad Kroppengeiser (rival suitors), Messrs. Harry Shine and Driscoll Foley; Lucy Hamber, Miss Maud Williamson; La Belle Mexicane, Miss Ethel Gray; Hanna Briggs, Mrs. D'Arcy Read; White Cloud, Miss Lullie Roberts.

THEATRE ROYAL.

Mr. George Rignold will reopen at the Theatre Royal on Tuesday evening next with the popular military drama "Tommy Atkins." In addition to the attractions of a stirring story this play is noted for the picturesqueness of its staging. Messrs. Clint, Brunton, and Hennings have all been engaged upon the scenery, which shows the outside of the citadel, the bridge and Thames River, the marriage ceremony in St. Barnabas' Church (exterior and interior), and the Malaki fort. Mr. George Rignold will be seen as Harold Wilson, the soldier-curate, supported by a long cast, which includes Mr. Diver as the wicked Captain Maitland, Mr. Sterling Whyte as Stephen Raymond, Mr. Joe Tolano as Ebenezer Skindle, Miss Alice Senior as Captain Bob Sparrow, Miss Lilian Wheeler as Ruth Raymond, and Miss Watts Phillips as Kate Perkins. Popular prices are announced.

TIVOLI THEATRE.

This afternoon, and again in the evening, Mr. Harry Rickards's double company will appear at the Tivoli Theatre, where one of the chief attractions will be the marvellous Biograph pictures. A long series of these tableaux will embrace not only incidents from the Jubilee procession, but also the naval review at Spithead, the military review at Aldershot, and other events of a memorable festival. Miss Lilian Tree will sing Leonora's great area in "Il Trovatore," with Mr. Milford Haven as Manrico in the duet, and an unseen chorus to assist the illusion. Mr. Philip Newbury will sing some of his finest songs, and Miss Fanny Wentworth, Professor Morritt, the Waldrons, and other favourite artists will appear.

ROYAL STANDARD THEATRE.

"Mab, the Miner's Daughter," will be staged by Henry's Dramatic Company at the Royal Standard Theatre to-night and on Monday and Tuesday next. Mr. D'Orsay Ogden will appear as Diego don Gaultier, with Mr. H. N. Douglas as Daddy Smith, and Miss Billie Howarde as Mab, supported by the full cast.

BAND CONTEST CONCERT.

In connection with the intercolonial band contest which opens at the Town Hall early this afternoon Mr. F. Aengenheyster (Pleyel's) has arranged a concert of special interest to take place in the same hall next Tuesday evening. On that occasion the champion band of the contest (by that time concluded) will open the programme, the second part of which will be opened with selections by the second prize-winners. The winners of the cornet prize and tenor-horn prize will also play solos. M. Henri Staell (one of the judges at the competition) will render Vieuxtemps's "Polonaise" and Sarasate's "Spanish Dances." Herr Gerard Vollmar's 'cello numbers will be Servais's "Fantaisie" and Davidoff's "Romance." Mr. Hallewell will sing "O Ruddier than the Cherry" (Handel); Mrs. Florence Tierney's chief song will be Mascheroni's "Woodland Serenade;" and Mr. E. E. Truman will be the pianist. During the interval the prizes won at the contest will be distributed.

TOYNBEE GUILD CONCERT.

A concert will be given at the University Hall this evening in connection with the Toynbee Guild, under the direction of Mr. Sydney Hoben. Mmes. Millie Wynn, Christie Fuller, Truman, Cookson, Kathleen Morven, Littlejohn, and Keel, and Messrs. Simonsen, Burns-Walker, Staedtgen, Scheinpflug, Stevenson, and Truman will assist.

PLEYEL CLASSICAL CONCERTS.

The fifth and last of this year's series of Pleyel Classical Concerts will be given at the Y.M.C.A. Hall next Thursday. Mr. Aengenheyster has done good work in promoting these concerts, at which alone can cultivated lovers of music hear the chamber music of the great composers. Mr. Henri Staell having rehearsed, as usual, a novelty for the occasion, Saint Saens "Quatuor for Piano and Strings" will be performed for the first time by Messrs. Sydney Moss, H. Staell, A. Hill, and Gerard Vollmar. Schumann's "String Quartet No. 1" will be rendered by the above artists, with Mr. F. M. Carter in place of the pianist. Mr. Staell will play as solos a "Concerto Russe for Violin" by Lalo. Mr. Hallewell will be the vocalist of the evening.

NEW ORCHESTRAL ASSOCIATION.

The newly-formed Professional Orchestral Association will give their first subscription concert at the Town Hall on Thursday, November 18, at 8 o'clock. This association, which consists of nearly 100 members, with Mr. L. Morris as secretary, has been formed with the object of placing new or seldom-heard works before the public. Mr. Alfred Hill will conduct at the first concert, and the support of Signor Hazon, Signor Podenzana, Mr. J. A. Delany, Mr. Leon Caron, and other leading musicians has been secured. It is intended to perform Schumann's "Erste Symphonie in B flat," Massenet's Suite d'Orchestre (Scenes Pittoresque), and other works. At the first concert Mr. J. R. Keers will play Vieuxtemps' grand violin concerto, and Miss Edith King and Mr. W. Burns-Walker will be the vocalists.

SYDNEY DRAMATIC CLUB.

"That Charity Ball," a new and original farcical comedy, in three acts, by Charles W. Anson, will be performed at the Opera House next Thursday by the members of the Sydney Dramatic Club. The plan for this entertainment, which is in aid of the Benevolent Society of New South Wales, is at Nicholson's.

WATER AND SEWERAGE BOARD CONCERT.

The Academy, better known as the old Gaiety Theatre, was well filled last evening, when the fourth of a series of concerts was given under the patronage of the president, members of the board, heads of departments, and officers of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board. A lengthy and high-class programme was contributed to by Messrs. W. S. Newman, W. H. Foggitt, Wilson, W. O'G. Hughes, A. S. Henry, H. Leston (recitation), C. H. Ludlam, Signor Podenzana ('cello solos), Miss Theakstone, Miss Edwards, Mrs. Holmes, and Miss Rochester. Encores were frequent, and in the case of Miss Rochester, who was made the recipient of a very handsome basket of flowers, was most pronounced. Mr. N. J. Gehde acted as accompanist.

CONCERT AT MANLY.

A concert in aid of the funds of the Manly Volunteer Fire Brigade Band took place at the Aquarium Hall, Manly, on Thursday. The Mayor (Alderman F. C. Passau) occupied the chair, and several well-known residents contributed. The programme was well received. The audience was large, and gave ample encouragement to the performers. The concert was followed by a dance, which was well patronised.

THE THIRLMERE HOME FIREWORKS.

Arrangements for this novel fixture are progressing satisfactorily. In our advertising columns will be found a list of the places where school tickets have been placed on sale. The services of the Band of the Permanent Artillery and the Railway Military Band have been secured, and these will supply the music for the promenade previous to the pyrotechnic display. The League of Wheelmen have arranged for a large procession of illuminated cyclists from the city to the grounds on the evening of the fete, and doubtless this will add considerably to the evening's attractions.

THE QUEEN VICTORIA FAIR.

This fair, which is being held in the Y.M.C.A. Hall in aid of the fund for building a Church of England deaconesses' home in association with Bethany, and was opened on Wednesday by Lady Manning, has up to the present been attended with considerable success. At a concert yesterday evening Miss Britton played several pianoforte selections, Mrs. E. Y. Chowne sang "Kathleen Mavourneen" and "Maidstone;" and two songs were also rendered by Mr. Herbert Gillies, one being "What Might Have Been," and the other "The Valley by the Sea." "King Henry of Navarre" was recited by Mrs. Martel, who, in recognition of the compliment of an encore, rendered "The Faithful Lovers;" and the same lady also gave another recitation, this being "The Toast."

THE CYCLORAMA.

Keat's undying phrase, "A thing of beauty is joy for ever," could most appropriately be blazoned upon the portals of the building in which the Cyclorama of Jerusalem is being exhibited. To the lover of the artistic in painting—whether idealist or realist—to the students of ancient history, to those who revel in the study of human habits at the dawn of Christianity, and last, but not least, to those who never tire of reading the old, old story of the Redemption, the Cyclorama of Jerusalem is a never-fading source of pleasure. The managers have prudently sought to improve the attractions of the institution by introducing some marvellous illusions, which are worked out with tantalising realism.

THE POLYTECHNIC.

Those who escaped the boisterous weather in which the Melbourne Cup was run last Tuesday, but were disappointed in not gazing upon the actual struggle between Gaulus and The Grafter for the rich prize, may gratify themselves by witnessing a splendid portrayal of that event by witnessing the fine cinematograph in the Polytechnic, in King-street. With a little stretch of the imagination one can almost fancy he hears that indefinable roar that rises from the multitude which covers the Hill as the two Sydney horses are fighting it out to the bitter end, cheered on by the raucous-voiced bookmakers in their glee at having a "skinner."

CONCERT AT THE TEMPERANCE HALL.

Messrs. H. A. Kahn and Nicholas Gehde conducted a concert in aid of a destitute Jewish family at the Temperance Hall on Wednesday evening last. A capital programme was presented, the only absentee being Miss Millie Wynn, who was unfortunately too indisposed to appear. Miss Esther Kahn was warmly recalled for Liszt's "Hungarian Rhapsodie No. 12," and Mr. Jules Simonsen, as encore to "The Light of the World" (Adams), added "Mary of Argyle." Mr. H. A. Kahn's rendering of Svendsen's "Romance" for violin also led to an encore, and the Meistersingers had to repeat their trio "Caro Killed a Cat." Indeed, general enthusiasm prevailed throughout the evening, as Signor Podenzana's tender 'cello rendering of Offenbach's "Musette" led to the addition of a "Serenade," and Mr. W. H. Lynch, after "My Queen," was called upon for "There is a Flower that Bloometh." Miss Edie Opitz sang the "Patti Waltz Song" brilliantly, with "Dear Heart" as encore, and Mrs. A. Barclay, Herr Staedtgen, Herr W. Scheinpflug, and Herr N. J. Gehde all won cordial recognition from the audience. Misses Esther Kahn, Edith Wynn, and Herr Gehde were the accompanists.

SOCIETY OF ARTISTS.

After an unusually long season, remarkable for the spirit with which large attendances have been continuously sustained by the organisation of daily concerts and entertainments, the Society of Artists will this evening close their exhibition at the new galleries. The occasion will be signalised by a final smoke concert, for which an interesting programme has been prepared.

ST. LUKE'S EXHIBITION AND FAIR.

The children's evening at St. Luke's Exhibition and Fair, Prince Alfred Park, drew a large audience last night, and every number on the programme was thoroughly enjoyed. The floral march and the maypole dance, directed by Miss Flood, excited hearty applause, and Miss Wynn Russell-Jones's Highland fling, and Mr. James Kay's dance in Scotch costume, also proved good items. Aileen and Doris Woods sang their Coon Song charmingly, and an amateur string band from Newtown played selections successfully during the evening. Miss Maud Fitz-Stubbs and Mr. Stevenson have organised a classical concert for to-night, as noted in another column.

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Legal Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of JOHN TOOMEY, late of 9 Little Palmer-street, Woolloomooloo, in the colony of New Wales, Bailiff, deceased, intestate. Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the above-named deceased may be granted to MARY TOOMEY, the Widow of the said deceased. MARY TOOMEY.

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CHURCH NEWS.

ANGLICAN.

The Bishop of Bathurst preached on Sunday morning at All Saints' Cathedral on the occasion of its dedication festival, and in the evening at St. Barnabas', Bathurst South. On Monday evening he administered the rite of confirmation in the cathedral; on Wednesday and Thursday evenings respectively (acting for the Archbishop of Sydney) he instituted the Rev. W. H. H. Yarrington to the incumbency of St. Luke's, Burwood, and the Rev. Willoughby Flower to the incumbency of St. Mark's, Darling Point.

The Bishop of Riverina, after a lengthened visitation tour, returned to Hay last week, and preached on Sunday evening in the pro-cathedral. On the previous Wednesday he presided at a meeting of the diocesan council, and announced that the sum of £980, which had been allotted to the diocese from the Marriott bequest for church extension and educational purposes, would be expended as follows:—Oxley, church building, £100; Carrathool, church building, £100; Hay, school purposes, £310; Jerilderie, £100; Mulwala, £120; Tocumwal, £100; and Mossgiel, £50.

The Coadjutor-Bishop of Ballarat has spent the week at Katoomba, and will preach at St. John's, Darlinghurst, to-morrow morning.

Archdeacon Moxon has been presented with a congratulatory address by the clergy of the North Coast on his appointment to the Archdeaconry of Grafton.

The statistics for the Missions to Seamen in Sydney give the following particulars for the month of October:—Attendances: At reading room, 1945; at entertainments, 1810; at services, 717; at picnic, 41. Total attendances, 4513. The increased attendance in comparison with October last year is over 1300, the increase at services being more than double. During the month 241 visits had been paid to vessels and 65 to patients in the hospital.

Yesterday evening week a conversazione in connection with St. Nicolas', Coogee, was held in St. Jude's Hall, Randwick. The Revs. W. Hough, P. J. Simpson, and W. Greenwood delivered appropriate addresses.

The eighth anniversary of the opening of St. George's, Glenmore-road, was celebrated on Sunday, when sermons were preached by the Revs. Canon Fain, F. B. Boyce, and H. M. Trickett, morning and afternoon and evening respectively. On Tuesday evening a social gathering of the parishioners was held in the school-hall.

The Rev. F. Brush, on leaving St. Luke's, Sussex-street, has been presented with a pocket communion service. Mr. Brush has been appointed to the curacy of Moss Vale.

The annual festival service of All Saints', Petersham, was held on Monday evening (All Saints' Day), at which the Rev. Willoughby Flower was the preacher. The choir of All Saints' was assisted by the choirs of St. Andrew's Cathedral, St. Thomas's, Balmain West; St. Aidan's, Annandale; Holy Trinity, Dulwich Hill, and the Mission Church.

At the committee meeting of the Lay Readers' Association held on Tuesday a sub-committee was appointed to consider the desirability or otherwise of extending the objects of the association with a view of admitting lay evangelists and federating lay ministrations in the diocese.

A meeting has been held at Miranda, in the Helensburgh mission district, with the object of providing funds for the erection of a church for the use of the residents of Miranda and Sylvania. A site has been promised. The meeting was addressed by the Rev. J. Wilson and Mr. Arnold Conolly.

The Rev. T. E. Fox entered upon duty at St. Augustine's, Inverell, on Sunday last, having been formally welcomed by the parishioners on the previous Thursday evening.

Canon King, of Glen Innes, has been appointed to the incumbency of Narrabri in succession to the Rev. T. E. Fox, removed to Inverell.

The annual meeting of the Gleaners' Union in connection with the Church Missionary Association was held on Tuesday afternoon in the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association, under the presidency of Mr. John Kent. The Rev. J. Southey, Mrs. Newby Fraser, and Miss Bibb were the speakers. In the evening a valedictory meeting was held in the same building on the occasion of the departure of Miss Leila Bibb to join the C.M.S. Mission at Foochow, in China.

The Rev. John Morgan, who for some time was connected with the diocese of Sydney, but left for England, held up to last month the curacy of St Mary Major, Exeter, when he was appointed rector of Cheldon, Chulmleigh, Devonshire.

The Rev. Albert Gailey, B.A., who for several years filled the position of curate of St. Mark's, Darling Point, under the vicarship of the late Canon Kemmis, is leaving shortly for Western Australia, where he has accepted a position in one of the churches at Perth. The vacant office at St. Mark's has been filled by the Rev. J. Reynolds.

At St. Matthew's, Bondi, a social was held last evening to celebrate the fifth anniversary of the Rev. Joseph Best's incumbency. Alderman R. J. King presided. A pleasant evening was spent with songs, speeches, &c.

ROMAN CATHOLIC.

The death of Dr. Hutchinson, Vicar-Apostolic of Cooktown and Titular Bishop of Maximinopolis, is reported from Cooktown. The deceased prelate, whose demise is stated to be the result of exhaustion, had just returned from a 2500 miles trip over his vast diocese.

Cardinal Moran will preside at the 11 o'clock mass at St. Mary's Cathedral on Sunday, when a charity sermon in aid of the funds of St. Mary's Conference, will be preached by the Very Rev. Father Treand, M.S.H. In the evening his Eminence will consecrate the members of the conference to the Sacred Heart.

The great event of the week has been the consecration of St. Patrick's Cathedral, Melbourne, concerning which details have already appeared in the "Herald."

PRESBYTERIAN.

The stations of the five newly ordained ministers of the Presbyterian Church have already been selected. The Rev. A. J. Doig, B.A., goes to Wilcannia, the Rev. A. S. M'Cook, B.A., to Gunnedah, the Rev. G. A. Gordon, B.A., to Narrabri, the Rev. W. Powell to West Maitland, and the Rev. George Paul to Grenfell.

The Rev. W. K. Duthie, M.A., who arrived from Scotland last week, will proceed to Braidwood shortly.

CONGREGATIONAL.

The anniversary services in connection with the Glebe Sunday-school were held on Sunday last, the preacher in the morning being the Rev. F. Binns, in the afternoon the Rev. E. T. Miles, and in the evening the Rev. E. Adams.

On Sunday anniversary services were held at Granville, the Rev. James Hill, M.A., conducting the morning service. The work there is progressing very satisfactorily. The church building has been greatly improved, the attendance very largely increased, and the liabilities considerably reduced.

The Pitt-street Congregational Sunday-school picnic takes place to-day at Correy's Gardens, Cabarita, the steamer Alathea leaving the Floating Jetty, Circular Quay, at 8.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m.

In connection with the Congregational Church, Granville, successful anniversary services of the first year's work of the honorary lay pastorate of Mr. B. Short, took place last Sunday, when the Rev. James Hill, M.A., preached in the morning, and the Rev. E. Adams in the afternoon, and Mr. B. Short at night, to large congregations. On Thursday a crowded meeting, preceded by an excellent tea, took place. Reports from the various societies of the Church, Dorcas, and Christian Endeavour (young people's and junior), indicated much progress.

A meeting was held on Wednesday at the Congregational Church, Manly, to welcome the Rev. Mr. Currie, late of Kyneton, Victoria. The Mayor (Alderman F. C. Passau) was in the chair, and there were present the Rev. E. T. Dunstan, Dr. Roseby, Rev. J. Anderson Gardiner, Rev. Mr Masterman, Rev. A. G. Stoddart, and others. Speeches testifying to the piety, ability and worth of the new pastor were made. Light refreshments were served, and hymns interspersed the proceedings. Miss Richards presided at the organ, and Mr. D. S. Ogilvie was responsible for the very complete arrangements made in connection with the function.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the Rookwood Congregational Church was celebrated on Sunday. The Rev. James Buchan, M.A., secretary of the Congregational Union, preached in the morning, and the Rev. T. J. Pepper in the evening. A flower service was held in the afternoon. The reports at the meeting on Tuesday showed a considerable advance during the year.

WESLEYAN.

The Rev. H. Worrall, of Fiji, is gone to Queensland, where for the next seven weeks he will be engaged on deputation work.

The Balmain Darling-street East Sunday School celebrated its fifty-second anniversary on Sunday last.

On Sunday last the anniversary services of the York-street and Princes-street Sabbath Schools were held, those who took part in them including the Revs. E. S. Bickford, W. W. Rutledge, and G. E. Rowe of Western Australia. There were good congregations. Special hymns were sung by the scholars. On Monday evening the Rev. E. S. Bickford lectured on "Cornwall," and on the following evening the annual public meeting was held.

During the absence of the Rev. W. Woolls Rutledge at Auckland the Rev. J. K. Turner will direct the affairs of York-street Central Methodist Mission.

There is to be a public meeting at the Centenary Hall to-morrow afternoon in connection with the Aborigines Mission. The Revs. Dill Macky and A. J. Griffith, M.A., and Miss Dixon (missionary) are announced to give addresses. Several aborigines will also speak and sing.

The Rev. J. A. Waddell will preach on "A Model Capitalist" at Centenary Hall to-morrow morning.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST.

The Rev. P. S. Young, of the Sydney second circuit, has accepted an invitation for a fourth year.

Great success marked the anniversary services of the Warren Primitive Methodist Church on Sunday. The preachers were the Revs. George James and W. Atkinson.

A choral service at the Plattsburg Church on Sunday last passed off extremely well. An eloquent, impressive, and practical sermon was delivered by the Rev. T. Parr, M.A., and it was much appreciated.

The Primitive Methodist Sunday School at Adamstown is making progress, having 332 scholars and a liberal income.

BAPTIST.

The Rev. F. E. Harry, after a three weeks' holiday in Tasmania and Victoria, has returned, and will resume his ministry at Bathurst-street to-morrow.

The Rev. A. S. Wilson and Mrs. Wilson, of Perth, W.A., arrived in Sydney yesterday, and the former will preach at the Burton-street Tabernacle for two Sundays. He will then take part in the Baptist Federation Conference in Melbourne, all the colonies being represented on that occasion. Mr. Wilson is the leader of the Endeavour movement in Western Australia, and was formerly secretary of the South Australian Union. His wife is the youngest daughter of the Rev. Silas Mead, M.A., LL.B., formerly of Adelaide and now of London.

UNITARIAN.

A series of 14 Sunday evening lectures on "Bible Stories" has just been completed by the Rev. George Walters at the Hyde Park Church. The course began with the legend of "Creation," and finished with "Sampson and Delilah." During the present month the minister will deal with "Problems of Immortality," the opening subject being "If a Man Die, shall he Live Again."

CITY MISSION.

The Rev. E. Moore, the secretary of the City Mission, has gone for a week to Goulburn.

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MERIAM HILL, RYDE HEIGHTS.—SALE on the Ground THIS SATURDAY, at 3 p.m.
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Meetings.

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.
NOTICE is hereby given that a CONVOCATION for the ELECTION of a FELLOW in the room of the late Hon. Sir William C. Windeyer, M.A., LL.D., will be holden at NOON on SATURDAY, the 27th day of November, at the University.
A BALLOT, if required, will be taken between the hours of 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on SATURDAY, the 27th day of November, at Selborne-chambers, Phillip-street.
Nominations, which must be communicated to the Registrar, under the hands of two qualified voters, cannot be received earlier than TUESDAY, the 19th day of October, nor later than WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of November.
H. E. BARFF, Registrar.
October 12, 1897.

THE LABOUR HOME.—The Annual MEETING of Subscribers and Friends will be held at the Institution, 557 Harris-street, Ultimo, on THURSDAY, November 11th, at 4 p.m. His Excellency the Governor will preside, and several prominent Clergymen and Laymen are expected to address the meeting. Charles I. K. Uhr, Hon. Secretary.

BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Half-yearly GENERAL MEETING of the Proprietors will be held at the Chief Banking-house, George-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, the 16th proximo, at noon, to consider the Report of the Board of Directors, to be then made; to Elect a Director in the room of Charles Smith, Esq., deceased, whose place has been temporarily filled by the appointment of Edward Chisholm, Esq.; to Elect a Director in the room of the Hon. Charles Kinnaird Mackellar, Esq., M.L.C., who retires by rotation, but is eligible for re-election; to Elect two Auditors in the room of James S. Harrison and Frederick W. Uther, Esqs., who retire at this time, the latter being eligible for re-election; and to consider such other matters and things as may then be brought forward in conformity with the Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board of Directors.
J. RUSSELL FRENCH, General Manager.

By the 45th Clause of the Deed of Settlement it is provided that every proprietor who shall become a candidate for the office of Director shall give notice thereof to the Board of Directors, in writing, fourteen days at the least before the day of election.
Bank of New South Wales,
Sydney 22nd October, 1897.

BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Honorable CHARLES KINNAIRD MACKELLAR, Esq., M.L.C., and EDWARD CHISHOLM, Esq., duly qualified Shareholders, are Candidates for the Office of DIRECTOR in this Bank, and have given due notice thereof in terms of the Deed of Settlement.
J. RUSSELL FRENCH, General Manager.
Sydney, 1st November, 1897.

THE GREAT COBAR COPPER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that a Special General MEETING of the Great Cobar Copper-mining Company, Limited, will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 131 Pitt-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the seventeenth day of November, 1897, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when the subjoined resolutions will be proposed.
Should the Resolutions be passed by the required majority they will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions to a Second Special General Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS:

1. That Article 63 of the Articles of Association of the Company be altered by substituting the word "seven" for the word "twenty" as the first word of the said Article.
2. That Article 63 of the Company's Articles of Association be, and the same is hereby, repealed, and the following shall stand as Article 63 in lieu thereof:—
   63. At any General Meeting or Special General Meeting all motions, questions, and propositions which shall then be submitted for determination shall, unless otherwise herein specially provided, be primarily decided by the majority in number of the persons present qualified to vote on a show of hands; but if two or more persons qualified to vote shall be dissatisfied with such show of hands they may demand a ballot upon any motion, question, or proposition then depending before such meeting, and such ballot, if demanded, shall be taken in such manner and at such time and place as the Chairman of the Meeting directs, and either at once or after an interval or adjournment, or otherwise, provided that such ballot shall be taken within fourteen days from the date of such meeting, and the result of the poll or ballot shall be deemed to be the resolution of the meeting at which the poll or ballot was demanded, and all such motions, questions, and propositions shall be decided by a majority of votes, and upon every ballot each shareholder shall be entitled to vote for the shares which he shall hold and shall then have held for one calendar month previously to the meeting, in the following manner—namely: A shareholder holding not less than twenty-five shares shall be entitled to one vote, and he shall have an additional vote for every twenty-five shares beyond the first twenty-five shares, and no shareholder shall be entitled to vote until the amount of every overdue call made in respect of his shares shall have been fully paid, and no shareholder shall be entitled to demand a poll on the question of the election of the Chairman of a Meeting or on any question of adjournment, and the demand of a poll shall not prevent the continuance of a meeting for the transaction of any business other than the question on which a poll has been demanded.
3. That Article 64 of the Company's Articles of Association be, and the same is hereby, repealed, and the following stand as Article 64 in lieu thereof:—
   64. No General Meeting or Special General Meeting shall proceed to business unless seven shareholders at the least, duly qualified to vote, and holding, in the aggregate, twenty-five thousand shares, shall, in person or by proxy, assemble within thirty minutes after the time for holding such meeting; but such meeting shall, if a quorum is not present, be considered as adjourned to such day or hour as the chairman of the meeting or the Board of Directors may appoint, but not exceeding fourteen days after the time fixed for such original meeting, and notice of such adjourned meeting shall be given.

Dated the twenty-ninth day of October, 1897.
By order of the Board. LEONARD DODDS, Manager.
131 Pitt-street, Sydney.

THE MOUNT GAHAN GOLD-MINING COMPANY, No Liability, Pambula.
NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of THE MOUNT GAHAN G. M. CO., N. L., will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, 8, Pambula, on SATURDAY, 13th November, 1897, at 2 o'clock p.m.
Business:
For the purpose of devising means of raising additional capital to continue operations at the mine.
By order of the Board.
J. B. WILKINS, Manager.
1st November, 1897.

JOHN HUNTER, late Smith and Mannell, 398 George-street, keep the Largest and Most Varied Stock in the city of Gentlemen's MASONIC REQUISITES and LODGE FITTINGS.

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WAVERLEY.—Choice Building Sites. Auction sale This Afternoon. Easy Terms. Hardie and Gorman.

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Amusements.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON EXCURSIONS TO HAWKESBURY RIVER.
THIS DAY, 6th NOVEMBER,
S.S. NEWCASTLE, 1251 Tons,
to the Railway Bridge and round Dangar Island, weather permitting, from Wharf foot of Market-street at 2 o'clock sharp, arriving in Sydney on return about 7 p.m.
TEA, 1s, PROVIDED BY THE COMPANY.
BAND ENGAGED. RETURN FARE, 2s.
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PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY, TUESDAY, 9th November, 1897.
POPULAR EXCURSIONS to the HAWKESBURY RIVER and PORT HACKING, weather permitting, from wharf, foot of Market-street, at 10 a.m. sharp.
S.S. NEWCASTLE, 1251 tons, to COWAN BAY, Hawkesbury River.
S.S. SYDNEY, 634 tons, to PORT HACKING.
Excursionists will be landed for about 3 hours, arriving in Sydney on return about 6 p.m.
Luncheon, 1s 6d. Refreshments at moderate rates.
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LILLIE BRIDGE
PONY AND TROTTING RACES will be held on PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHNIGHT, NOVEMBER 9.
FIVE RACES.

MOOREFIELD RACES (Registered).
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20.
Hurdle Handicap, 50 sovs., about 2 miles.
Welter Handicap, 50 sovs., 6 furlongs.
Kogarah Stakes, 50 sovs., 6 furlongs.
Two-Year-Old Stakes, 50 sovs., 4 furlongs.
Moorefield Handicap, 100 sovs., 1¼ mile.
Stewards' Mile, 50 sovs., 1 mile.
Full Particulars see Programme.
ENTRIES CLOSE 5 p.m. MONDAY, NOVEMBER 15th.
JOHN JOLLY, Secretary.
Office, 198 Pitt-street, Sydney.

AUSTRALIAN JOCKEY CLUB.
RANDWICK RACECOURSE.
NOVEMBER MEETING.
SATURDAY, 27th NOVEMBER, 1897.
THE HURDLE RACE.
A Handicap Sweepstakes of 2 sovs. each for starters, with 100 sovs. added. Second horse 20 sovs. from the prize. About 2 miles.
THE COURSE HANDICAP.
A handicap sweepstakes of 2 sovs. each for starters, with 100 sovs. added. Second horse 20 sovs. from the prize. Six furlongs.
THE NURSERY STAKES.
For two years old.
A sweepstakes of 2 sovs. each for starters, with 100 sovs. added. Second horse 20 sovs. from the prize. For two years old. Weights: Colts, 8st 7lb; Geldings, 8st 4lb; Fillies, 8st 2lb. The winner of any race for two years old to carry 7lb; of two or more, 10lb penalty. Five furlongs.
THE CLUB HANDICAP.
A Handicap Sweepstakes of 2 sovs. each for starters, with 125 sovs. added. Second horse 25 sovs. from the prize. One mile and a quarter.
THE HIGH-WEIGHT HANDICAP.
A handicap sweepstakes of 2 sovs. each for starters, with 100 sovs. added. Second horse 20 sovs. from the prize. For three years old and upwards. Lowest weight, 8st. One mile.
ENTRANCE, ONE SOVEREIGN FOR EACH RACE.
Entries for the above meeting are to be made with the Secretary of the A.J.C. on or before 4 o'clock p.m. on MONDAY, November 15th, 1897.
Weights on such day as the Committee may appoint.
The winner of any handicap after the declaration of the weights to carry 10lb penalty.
A.J.C. Rules, By-laws, and Regulations.
T. S. CLIBBORN, Secretary, A.J.C.
14 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

AUSTRALIAN JOCKEY CLUB.
SUMMER MEETING, 1897.
BOXING DAY, DECEMBER 27, 1897.
THE VILLIERS STAKES.
A Handicap Sweepstakes of 5 sovs. each, 2 forfeit, or 1 sov. only if declared by Monday, December 6th, with 250 sovs. added. Second horse 50 sovs. and third 25 sovs. from the prize. A winner of any handicap race of the value of 100 sovs. after the declaration of the weights to carry 7lb; of 200 sovs., 10lb extra. Six furlongs.
Nominations, accompanied by first forfeit of 1 sov., to be made to the Secretary C.J.C., Christchurch, or A.R.C., Auckland (N.Z.), before 12 noon; or the Secretary V.R.C., Melbourne; S.A.J.C., Adelaide; Q.T.C., Brisbane; or A.J.C., Sydney, on Monday, November 15th, before 4 p.m. Weights to be declared at such time as the Committee may appoint.
THE SUMMER CUP.
A Handicap Sweepstakes of 10 sovs. each, half ft., or 1 sov. only if declared by Monday, December 6th, with 750 sovs. added. Second horse 150 sovs., and third 75 sovs. from the prize. A winner of any handicap race of the value of 100 sovs. after the declaration of the weights to carry 5lb; of 200 sovs., 7lb; of 500 sovs., 10lb extra. One mile and three-quarters.
Nominations, accompanied by first forfeit of 1 sov., to be made to the Secretary C.J.C., Christchurch, or A.R.C., Auckland (N.Z.), before 12 noon; or the Secretary V.R.C., Melbourne; S.A.J.C., Adelaide; Q.T.C., Brisbane; or A.J.C., Sydney, on Monday, November 15th, before 4 p.m. Weights to be declared at such time as the Committee may appoint.
A.J.C. RULES, BYLAWS, and REGULATIONS.
T. S. CLIBBORN, Secretary A.J.C. Club.
14 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

TATTERSALL'S CLUB, SYDNEY. (Registered.)
ANNUAL RACE MEETING.
FIRST DAY:
NEW YEAR'S DAY, 1st JANUARY, 1898.
THE CARRINGTON STAKES.
A Handicap of 400 sovs., second horse to receive 70 sovs., and the third horse 30 sovs. from the prize, 6 furlongs. The winner of any handicap race after the declaration of the weights to carry 5lb. extra, of two such races or any such race of the value of 200 sovs. 10lb. extra, of any such race of the value of 500 sovs. 14lb. extra; for three years old and upwards.
Acceptance 3 sovs. All horses not scratched on or before 4 o'clock p.m. on THURSDAY, 23rd December, 1897, will be considered acceptors.
SECOND DAY:
MONDAY, 3rd JANUARY, 1898.
TATTERSALL'S CLUB CUP.
A Handicap of 500 sovs., second horse 70 sovs., and the third horse 30 sovs. from the prize, 2 miles. A winner of any handicap race after the declaration of the weights to carry 5lb. extra, of the value of 200 sovs. 8lb. extra, of the value of 500 sovs. 10lb. extra.
Acceptance 3 sovs. All horses not scratched on or before 4 o'clock p.m. on THURSDAY, 23rd December, 1897, will be considered acceptors.
Nomination fee for each race, 1 sov., to be made to the undersigned, or to the Secretary of the V.R.C., Melbourne, before 4 o'clock p.m. on MONDAY, 15th November, 1897.
Handicaps to be declared on such day as the Committee may appoint.
A.J.C. Rules, Bylaws, and Regulations.
By order,
J. B. OLLIFFE, Secretary.
Tattersall's Club, Pitt-street, Sydney.

CLIFTON GARDENS.
PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY.
BALLROOM DANCING in the Port Jackson Pavilion, from 10 a.m. till 10 p.m.
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A NAVAL AND MILITARY TOURNAMENT AND SPORTS MEETING, including BICYCLE RACES, will be held on the AGRICULTURAL GROUND on PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY, November 9th.
Entries for the various Events, for prize money amounting to £200, have been received from all the country districts, and the total number of Entries exceed 1000 Competitors.
Caterers and others desirous of obtaining Booths for Refreshment Rooms, &c., are informed that they are now open for selection at the Secretary's Office. Adults, 1s; Children, 6d. THOS. W. FURSE, Sec., Trades' Hall, Syd.

AN EXHIBITION OF ART SEWING is now being given at Messrs. BEALE and CO.'S, Ltd., Showrooms, 484 George-street, opposite the New Markets. The ladies of Sydney and vicinity are cordially invited. Admission free. Instruction gratis. Amongst many other kinds of work are high-class lace curtains, opera cloaks and mantles, flowers in coloured silks, embossed cushions, antimacassars, and d'oyleys, all made on the spot. Never before shown. Anyone desirous of producing artistic sewing beyond what they have hitherto been able to accomplish, whether for adornment of the home or the person, will be welcomed at
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WOOLLAHRA PRESBYTERIAN SUNDAY SCHOOLS ANNUAL PICNIC will take place at CLONTARF TO-DAY, SATURDAY.
S.S. BIRKENHEAD leaves Circular Quay at 8.15 a.m., 12.15½ and 2.15 p.m.; and Double Bay at 9 and 11.30 a.m., returning at 4.30 and 6.30 p.m. to Circular Quay and Double Bay.
TICKETS: Adults, 1s 6d; Children, 1s.
Hot and Cold Water Free.

OPERA HOUSE.
THURSDAY, 11th NOVEMBER, '97,
in aid of the Benevolent Society,
SYDNEY DRAMATIC CLUB.
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Special Programme of Popular Music!!
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A GRAND MOONLIGHT CONCERT AND FIREWORKS FETE
will be held on the WAVERLEY PARK, on TUESDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 9, in aid of the Funds of the Waverley Benevolent Society.
THE BAVARIAN BAND.
VOCAL and INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC.
PART SONGS, SOLOS, Glees, and Choruses.
DISSOLVING VIEWS and LECTURES.
PUNCH and JUDY for the Children.
FIREWORKS and other Amusements.
Trams and 'Buses stop at Gates. 7.30 p.m.
ADMISSION, 1s. Children half price.

A GRAND MOONLIGHT EXCURSION and CONCERT, in aid of St. Joseph's Boys' Orphanage, Kincumber, and the Providence, Dawes Point, on MONDAY, November the 8th, 1897. The steamer ALATHEA leaves Floating Jetty, Circular Quay, at 7.30 p.m., and returns at 10 p.m. Refreshments provided. Tickets, 2s 6d. President, The Mayoress, Mrs. I. E. IVES. Hon. Secs., Mrs. KING, Miss TESSIE WALSH.

GRAND CHARITY CARNIVAL in aid of ST. GEORGE COTTAGE HOSPITAL and Local Charities.
9th NOV. PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY. 9th NOV.
MOOREFIELD RACECOURSE, KOGARAH.
Sports of all Descriptions.
Fun all Day.
Refreshments on Ground.
PROCESSION FROM ROCKDALE TOWN HALL, 9 a.m.
ADMISSION: Adults, 1s; Children, 6d.
PERMANENT ARTILLERY BAND.

CRITERION THEATRE, corner of Pitt and Park streets.
EXHIBITION OF FANCY DANCING by the PUPILS of Miss DUNN, of Petersham,
In aid of the Lewisham Hospital,
MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, 1897.
Under the distinguished patronage and in the presence of Captain Ferguson and the Hon. Mrs. Ferguson, and the Premier and Ministry of N.S. Wales.
Dress Circle, 2s; Stalls and Family Circle, 1s. (Children Half-price.)
Doors open at 7. Commence 7.45. Carriages 10.30.

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PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY.
TUESDAY NEXT, NOVEMBER 9th.
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MOANA, 4000 tons,
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22 GRAND ROWING and SAILING EVENTS.
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DANCING ALL DAY.
LUNCHEON and REFRESHMENTS on Board at City Prices.
FLAGSHIP TICKETS—Lady 1s, Gentleman 2s, Double Ticket (lady and gent.), 2s 6d, Family Ticket (to admit 5) 5s.
STEAMERS to Flagship from the foot of Erskine-street, Sydney, every half-hour during the day. Fare, 3d return.
FRANK W. J. DONOVAN, Hon. Sec.

ROYAL SYDNEY YACHT SQUADRON.
General Handicap Race, fore and aft sails, any tonnage, no extra sails. Course: Flying start at 2 p.m. from line between starter's boat and H.M.S. Orlando's buoy, round Squadron's buoy at Manly, round Shark Island (outside Pile Light and buoy) round Fort Denison, back round Shark Island (outside Pile Light and buoy), and finish between Fort Denison and flagboat moored off southern end.

Yacht.	Owner.	Handicap.
Thelma	Dr. A. MacCormack	Scratch
Isea	W. M. Marks	8 minutes
Jess	A. A. Griffiths	9 minutes
Herreshoff	Jas. Cox	13 minutes
Acto	F. Woolcott-Waley	14 minutes
Bronzewing	H. M. Cockshott	14 minutes
Mabel	C. E. Newman	20 minutes
Lahloo	W. H. Murrell	22 minutes

The Squadron steamer will leave the floating jetty, Circular Quay, at 1.45 p.m. sharp. Admission by ticket only.
SYDNEY T. WILSON, Hon. Secretary.

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PRINCE of WALES'S BIRTHDAY, NOVEMBER 9, '97.
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November 5, 1897.

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Gentlemen INTENDING to become MEMBERS are reminded that the ENTRANCE FEE will be INCREASED AFTER THE 9th DAY OF THE PRESENT MONTH to £2 2s, and for schoolboys to £1 1s, as already fully advertised.
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November 4, 1897.

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Dear Sir,—We, the undersigned Ratepayers of the Borough of Ashfield, beg that you will allow yourself to be nominated as a Candidate for the office of ALDERMAN for the North Ward at the forthcoming Elections in February next:—
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DREDGING MACHINERY.—TENDERS are required for Dredging Machinery, in three separate contracts. Specifications and drawings may be inspected at MAX WURCKER, 42 KING-STREET. Tenders to be posted to the undersigned per New Zealand steamer leaving not later than SATURDAY, 13th November, 1897. EDWARD ROBERTS, Consulting Engineer, Dunedin, N. Z.

WE are Purchasers of Second-hand ENGINES, BOILERS, MACHINERY, &c., of every description. We pay prompt cash. JOHN DANKS and SON PROPRIETARY, Ltd., 324 to 330 Pitt-street, Sydney.

ENGINES and BOILERS, Second-hand.—For SALE cheap, 4 h.p. Vertical Boiler and Engine; Tangye's 5 h.p. Vertical Boiler and Engine; 2 to 8 h.p. Vertical Boilers. All the above are in first-class order. Double-Cylinder Oscillating Engine, cheap. Model Engines, £3 10s, £5 10s. Lathe, old pattern, 7in. centre, 8ft. bed, £10. Root's Blower, cheap. JOHN DANKS and SON PROPRIETARY, Ltd., 324 to 330 Pitt-street, Sydney.

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STEAM Crane, Engines, Boilers, Hoisting En., Mining Plant, Saw Spindle, Band Saw, Wood-working Machinery, Settler Vat, Chaffcutters, &c., very cheap. J. SOUTER, 486 Jones-street Ultimo.

PULLEYS, Plumber Blocks, Shafting, Piping, Wire Ropes, Stonebreakers, Cages, Winding Gears, Batteries, Engines (portable and horizontal), Boilers, &c. For particulars, price lists, ROBINSON and CO., Orange.

FOR SALE, Aluminium, in sheets, bars, ingots; Delta and Babitt's Metal, German Silver Sheets and Wire, Brass, Copper, Zinc Plates, all descriptions Ironmongery. Cheapest Prices. Macintosh and Sons, 307 Pitt-street.

ROLLED JOISTS, £6 ton; 2000ft. 24in. Black Pipe, 7d foot; 7 Centrifugal Pump, £22; Flax and I. Rubber Packing, 56s cwt.; 500 tons Bolts and Nuts. MACINTOSH and SONS, 307 Pitt-street.

ICE and Refrigeration (Royal Letters Patent) PLANTS, for butter factories, butchers, and breweries.—The "SIMPLEX" is the simplest and the most economical in market, sizes suit requirements. J. Budge, 745 Harris-st.

MINING TRUCKS and CAGES.—We make a specialty of these, various designs. Call and inspect samples. N. P. NIELSEN and CO., Engineers, Blacksmiths, &c., 491 Kent-street, Sydney. Telephone, 2004.

FOR SALE, Steel-bore BARREL, for Diamond Drill, 10ft. x 2in., turned, has spiral waterway cut inside socket, couplings each end, and crown head connections. Apply R. TOWNS and CO., Jamieson-street.

FOR SALE, 25 H.P. MARSHALL'S PORTABLE ENGINE and BOILER, in first-class order. Apply JAMES COWAN, 266 Pitt-street.

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TINSMITHS and Plumbers' Rollers, Folders combined, Angle Bender, Swedges, Burr Machines. 136 Kent-st.

BRICK MACHINERY.—Wire-cut Brick Plant, Semi-dry Machines, Fawcett's and Kennedy's make; Brick Press, Tile Press, Steam Winch, Overhead Traveller, Steam Pumps, Hyd. Pumps. Mason Bros., Ltd., 10 Barrack-st.

BOILER (30-h.p.), 57lb. Tram Rails, light Rails, Hand Fire Pump, 3, 4, 5 inch Pipes. Mason, 10 Barrack-st.

A PLANING MACHINE wanted, 12-14 ft. x 4ft. 6 x 4ft. 6; also Double Punching and Shearing Machine, punch and shear tin. Box 594, G.P.O.

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HORIZONTAL Steam Engine, 1 h.p., superior construction, £18. Jaffray and Son, Hay-st.

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DANISH Cream Separators, for steam and hand-power, best and cheapest to be had; Pasteurisers, Coolers, and General Dairy Machinery. Send to us for catalogue. We are fully 20 per cent. lower in price than any other house. J. GOMMESON and CO., Sole Agents, Engineering Works, 22 Wilson-street, Newtown, Sydney.

ONE 12 and one 8 h.p. Colonial Type BOILER; one 8 and one 6 h.p. Engine, Iron Saw Bench, Band Saw, Shafting and Pulleys, Portable Forge, cheap. SIMMONS'S Cooperage, Thomas-street, Ultimo.

PHŒNIX Foundry.—Lutton Bros., engineers, ironfounders, &c., Blackfriars. Castings, sup. lowest rates.

WANTED, D. Hoisting ENGINE with Boiler, lift about 4 tons, suitable for pile-driving. TAYLOR and MURPHY, 408 Darling-road, Balmain.

WANTED, one or more Fire or Steam Jacketed Pans for small factory. Jam, Herald Office.

WANTED, Launch Engine and Screw, complete, cyls. about 5 x 10. John Clune, Chester-st., Camp'down.

FOR SALE, Fay's Cut-off SAWBENCH, for street blocks. Bradley, 464 Harris-st.

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Government Notices.

Department of Public Works,
Sydney, 1st November, 1897.

TENDERS, to be addressed to the President of the Tender Board, will be received up to 2 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 22nd instant, from persons willing to contract for the Supply and Delivery at Darling Island of Two Hundred and Thirty Thousand Hardwood Blocks. Specification and form of tender may be seen at the Office of the Engineer-in-Chief for Public Works, Sydney.
(6a-60) J. H. YOUNG.

Postal and Electric Telegraph Department,
General Post Office,
Sydney, 15th October, 1897.

ATTENTION is directed to Gazette Notice inviting TENDERS for the CARTAGE of TELEGRAPH MATERIAL WITHIN THE CITY AND SUBURBS. Tenders will be received up to noon on the 15th proximo, and must be addressed to the Deputy Postmaster-General, Sydney.
(7a-24) JOSEPH COOK.

Postal and Electric Telegraph Department,
General Post Office,
Sydney, 21st October, 1897.

ATTENTION is directed to Gazette Notice inviting TENDERS for—
1.—25 tons of Galvanised Iron Telegraph Wire and 10,000 Iron Pin Insulators.
2.—Supply of Canvas.

Tenders will be received at this office up to noon on MONDAY, the 8th proximo, for No. 1 Contract, and WEDNESDAY, the 8th December, for No. 2 Contract, and must be addressed to the Deputy Postmaster-General, Sydney.
(7a-25) JOSEPH COOK.

Postal and Electric Telegraph Department,
General Post Office,
Sydney, 1st November, 1897.

ATTENTION is directed to "Gazette" Notice inviting TENDERS for the Supply of 2 KNOTS of 4-CORE SUBMARINE TELEPHONE CABLE. Tenders will be received up to noon on MONDAY, the 15th instant, and must be addressed to the Deputy Postmaster-General, Sydney.
(7a-29) JOSEPH COOK.

Department of Public Works,
Sydney, 5th November, 1897.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.

(For Conditions see Government Gazette.)

TENDERS for the Works, &c., specified below will be received at this Department until 2 o'clock p.m. on the dates mentioned.

MONDAY, 8th NOVEMBER.
Erection of Awning over the Floating Stage at the Northern Jetty, Erskine street, Sydney.
Additions and Alterations to Refreshment Kiosk, Outer Domain, Sydney.
Supply of Overhead Traveller for Gantry, General Post Office Extensions.
Fittings for Strongroom, Treasury Buildings, Sydney.
Repairs, &c., Wharf, Hospital for the Insane, Callan Park.
Improvements to Hot Water Service, Hospital for the Insane, Newcastle.
Erection of Cart Shed, Hospital for the Insane, Parramatta.
Excavation for the Power House for the George-street and Harris-street Electric Tramway.
Removing, Repairing, and Refixing Tower Clock, Post-office, North Sydney.

MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER.
Punt for Richmond River, at Adams-street, Coraki.
Cartage, &c., of about 1400 casks Cement from Cootamundra Railway Station to the site of Storage Dam, Cootamundra Water Supply.
Manufacture and Supply of Ironwork for Repairs to Bridge over the Nimboy River, road Grafton to Glen Innes.
Supply of Granite Pier Plinths, Columns, &c., Extension of General Post Office, Sydney. (Time extended.)
Renewing Baths and Re-forming Bathroom, &c., Reception House for the Insane, Darlinghurst.

MONDAY, 22nd NOVEMBER.
Bridge, with Sluices, &c., at Tempe, Cook's River.
Supply and Delivery at Darling Island of 230,000 Hardwood Blocks.

MONDAY, 29th NOVEMBER.
Bridge over Rocky Creek, Road Greberts to Solferino.
Erection of Courthouse, Bourke.
Erection of Lands and Survey Office, Bourke.
Construction of the Tamworth to Manilla Railway.
Bridge over Byron Creek, road 'Possum Shoot to Brooklet.
Construction of the Carhouse for the George-street and Harris-street Electric Tramway at Ultimo.

MONDAY, 6th DECEMBER.
Bridge over Greek's Creek, road Pennant Hills-road to Mould's Corner.
Erection of a Cottage for Assistant Engineer, Trial Bay Harbour Works.
Erection of Police Station, Ford's Bridge.

MONDAY, 3rd JANUARY.
Bridge on Masonry Piers over the Queanbeyan River at Queanbeyan.

MONDAY, 10th JANUARY, 1898.
Supply of 10 (ten) Horse Traction Road Rollers of the most modern type.
(6a-62) J. H. YOUNG.

Patents Office,
Sydney, 2nd November, 1897.

APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT OF SPECIFICATION UNDER THE PATENTS LAW AMENDMENT ACT, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that any person or persons intending to oppose this Application must leave at the Patents Office, within one month from the 2nd instant, notice in the prescribed form of his or their objections thereto.

Application No. 7906 for Letters Patent, dated 19th October, 1897, of Walter Mardon Ducat, for "Improvements in and connected with the purification of sewage, or other foul liquids, by bacterial action."

Walter Mardon Ducat (through his patent agents, Hepburn and Spruson) has applied for leave to amend the Specification of the application above referred to.

The proposed Amendments are as follow:—
Strike out Claim 5, and alter numbering of following Claims to 5, 6, 7, and 8 respectively.
A. PARRY LONG,
(414) Examiner of Patents.

Department of Public Instruction,
Sydney, 3rd November, 1897.

ATTENTION is invited to a Notice appearing in the Government Gazette calling for TENDERS for the SUPPLY of PROVISIONS, &c., for the Training School, Hurlstone, for the YEAR 1898.
J. C. MAYNARD,
(3a-172) Under-Secretary.

Board of Health,
Sydney, November 3, 1897.

TO CARCASE BUTCHERS AND OTHERS.

The LEASES for the YEAR 1898 of the SLAUGHTER-HOUSES at the ABATTOIR, GLEBE ISLAND, will be offered for SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION by Messrs. MAIDEN BROTHERS at 12 noon on WEDNESDAY, the 17th day of November, 1897. Further particulars will be found in the Government Gazette.
By order of the Board.
(2e-3) C. A. SIMMS, Secretary.

Department of Prisons,
Comptroller-General's Office,
Sydney, 4th November, 1897.

TENDERS are invited, and will be received up to 10th instant, from persons desirous of Tendering for REFUSE FROM DARLINGHURST GAOL for a period of 12 months from 11th November, 1897. It will be necessary for the person tendering to give the names of two persons to guarantee regular quarterly payments. Tenders should be addressed to the Governor Darlinghurst Gaol, from whom all particulars can be obtained.
FREDK. W. NEITENSTEIN,
(4e-3) Comptroller-General.

PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD,
50 Young-street,
Sydney, 29th October, 1897.

A COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION of Candidates for JUNIOR CLERKSHIPS in the Public Service of the Colony will be held in Sydney and at various country centres, which will be fixed as far as possible to suit the convenience of candidates, on the 20th DECEMBER NEXT, and four following days. The estimated number of appointments to be made is 25. Candidates must be not less than 16 nor more than 21 years of age on the first day of examination; of good moral character, and in sound health. Persons already employed in the General Division of the Public Service will be admitted to the examination, provided their age does not exceed 30 years. The subjects in which candidates will be examined are:—Handwriting, English (dictation, précis writing, grammar, and composition), Arithmetic (full course), Geometry (Euclid, First Book), outlines of Physical and Political Geography, and the Geography of the Australasian colonies in moderate detail; English History from the middle of the eighteenth century to the present time, especially with reference to the colonies and dependencies. Candidates will also be allowed to take any two, but not more than two, of the following subjects:—Mathematics, English—a prescribed author—(the same as that prescribed for the Junior Examination of the current year—Tennyson's "Gareth and Lynette"—Macmillan), Latin, French, German, Elementary Chemistry, and Elementary Geology. Application to attend the examination must be made on a form for the purpose, which can be obtained at the office of the Board, and must reach the undersigned not later than the 1st December, 1897. Candidates will be required to pay an examination fee of 10s, which must be lodged with a clerk of petty sessions or the Treasury, and the receipt therefor forwarded to the Secretary of the Board with the form of application. A list of registered candidates, with centres of examination, will be published in the Government Gazette after the time for the receipt of applications has expired, and candidates will also be advised direct of the place at which they will be examined. The regulations and copies of the papers set at the last examination can be obtained at the Government Printing Office and the principal booksellers.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the position of BOATMAN at the CUSTOMS STATION, BARRANJOEY. The position is in the General Division, the salary attached thereto being £104 per annum and quarters (valued at £16 per annum). Candidates must not be more than 45 years of age. Applications, which must be made on forms for the purpose, obtainable at this office, should reach the undersigned not later than the 10th instant.

TWO PROBATIONARY NURSES being required at the COAST HOSPITAL, applications are invited by the Public Service Board for the positions, which are in the General Division, the salary being £25 per annum, and allowances valued at £50 per annum, making £75 per annum in all. Applications, which must be made on forms for the purpose, obtainable at this office, should reach the undersigned not later than the 12th November instant.

APPLICATIONS from young women desirous of employment as SWITCH ATTENDANTS in the Telephone Branch of the Postal and Electric Telegraph Department. The commencing salary is £26 per annum, the positions being in the General Division. Applicants must not be less than 16 nor more than 20 years of age. Applications must be made on forms for the purpose, obtainable at this office, and should reach the undersigned not later than the 12th instant.
By order of the Board.
J. W. HOLLIMAN,
(9a-31) Secretary.

METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE.

TENDERS for the Works specified below will be received up to 11.30 a.m. on the dates mentioned. For particulars see Government Gazette.

8th NOVEMBER.
Construction of an Ornamental Ventilating Shaft in Victoria Park, Camperdown.
Construction of Additional Filter Beds, and Extension of Railway and Main Carrier, &c., at Sewage Farm, Botany.

15th NOVEMBER.
Construction of a Labourer's Cottage, Piggeries, and Feed Sheds, &c., at the Sewage Farm, Botany.
WILLIAM HOLMES,
Secretary.
341 Pitt-street, 4th November, 1897. (6l-30)

PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD,
50 Young-street, Sydney,
5th November, 1897.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the Position of BOATMAN at the CUSTOMS STATION, BARRANJOEY. The position is in the General Division, the salary attached thereto being £104 per annum and quarters, and Quarters valued at £16 per annum. Candidates must not be more than 45 years of age. Applications, which must be made on forms for the purpose, obtainable at this office, should reach the undersigned not later than the 10th instant.
By order of the Board.
(9a-32) J. W. HOLLIMAN, Secretary.

SUNDAY TIMES" TO-MORROW.
A Military Revolution in Sydney.

Public Companies.

PROSPECTUS
OF THE
HOUSEHOLDERS' CO-OPERATIVE STORES,
LIMITED.

(TO BE REGISTERED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE COMPANIES ACTS.)

CAPITAL: £30,000, divided into 25,000 PREFERENCE SHARES of £1 each, and 5000 ORDINARY SHARES of £1 each.

THE PREFERENCE SHARES will be payable 5s per share on application, 5s per share on allotment, and the balance will be called up as the Directors may deem requisite in one or more calls. The holders of the preference shares will be entitled to receive out of the profits of each year, after due provision has been made for payment of bonuses on cash purchases by shareholders, a PREFERENTIAL DIVIDEND for such year at the rate of TEN POUNDS PER CENTUM PER ANNUM on the amount paid up on the preference shares held by them respectively. 2500 of the ordinary shares shall be issued as fully paid up to the Lessors of the premises hereinafter referred to as part consideration for the granting of the lease thereof, and in consideration of a substantial reduction in the rent for the first 7 years of the lease. The remaining 2500 ordinary shares are offered for subscription only amongst the applicants for preference shares as hereinafter provided and shall be payable as follows:—5s per share on application, 5s per share on allotment, and the balance will be payable in such sum or sums as the Directors may determine. Every applicant for preference shares shall be entitled to apply for one ordinary share for every ten preference shares applied for, and any balance of such ordinary shares not taken up may be issued by the Directors from time to time as they may think fit. The holders of ordinary shares shall be entitled to receive ONE-FIFTH OF THE NET PROFITS OF EACH YEAR as a dividend for such year after payment of the before-mentioned bonuses to cash purchasers, and the dividend to holders of preference shares. After providing for the above bonuses and dividends, the residue of the surplus profits in each year will be appropriated for the formation of a Reserve Fund, and for further dividends amongst the preference shareholders in proportion to the shares held by them respectively.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS:

Hon. J. F. BURNS,
38 Pitt-street, Sydney.

M. C. COWLISHAW, Esq.
(of COWLISHAW BROS., 3 Macquarie-place, Sydney).

C. B. PAYNE, Esq.
(late Messrs. PAYNE and SANDFORD, Sydney).

E. W. PERKINS, Esq.
(Messrs. PERKINS and WILLIAMS, Pitt-street, Sydney).

EDWARD L. SAMUEL, Esq.,
9 Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street, Sydney.

BANKERS:
THE COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY, Limited.

SOLICITORS:
Messrs. DIBBS, GIBSON, and PARKER, Eldon-chambers, Pitt-street.

BROKERS and FLOTATION AGENTS:
HARDIE and GORMAN, 133 Pitt-street.

OBJECTS.

This Company is being formed to establish large stores on modern co-operative principles, and to extend the system of co-operation in directions not hitherto undertaken in this colony.

It is intended ultimately to supply all requirements to householders for family consumption and domestic use, and to cater for supplies to hotelkeepers.

The following Departments will be opened as soon as possible after the Company is formed:—
1. MEAT AND POULTRY.
2. FISH AND GAME.
3. VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.
4. PASTRY AND CONFECTIONERY.
5. GROCERY AND PROVISIONS.
6. WINES AND SPIRITS.
7. HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN UTENSILS.
8. GLASS, CHINA, AND EARTHENWARE.
9. CUTLERY AND PLATEDWARE.
10. BRUSHWARE.
11. BEDSTEADS AND BEDDING.
12. TABLE AND HOUSEHOLD LINEN.
13. COAL AND WOOD.
14. PIANOS AND MUSIC.
15. ORDER DEPARTMENT.
16. PIPES, TOBACCO, AND CIGARS.

It will be the aim of the Directors to extend these Departments as opportunity occurs, so as to embrace all the branches of a GREAT UNIVERSAL PROVIDERS' ESTABLISHMENT, similar to those which have been worked with phenomenal success in London and elsewhere. It is contemplated to arrange as soon as possible an interchange of member-ship with one of the large Co-operative Stores of London, so that visitors to GREAT BRITAIN who are shareholders can obtain all benefits accruing therefrom. Most of the purchases of imported goods can be made from the original sources of supply in the Home, Continental, and American Markets, thus saving all middle profits, and enabling the Management to give every advantage to purchasers.

Arrangements will be completed soon after the capital has been subscribed to procure from London or elsewhere a manager of large experience in modern co-operative systems of business.

An agreement, on behalf of the proposed Company, has been made to lease for 21 years, on advantageous terms, Numbers 159, 161, and 163 Pitt-street, Sydney, adjoining the Government Post Office and Hoffnung's Warehouse, having a frontage of 80ft., and comprising 4 floors and basement. The premises are attractive, commodious, and centrally situated, close to the steam and cable tramways, near to the proposed Government Electric Tramway, and are eminently adapted for the conduct of a very extensive trade. The following particulars speak for themselves as to the success achieved by similar companies in London and Sydney, and there is ample evidence to warrant the expectation of a great success to this Company.

"A."—ARMY AND NAVY CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY, LONDON.—This Society (vide report), which has been markedly successful, had sales during the year of £4,895,698 on a capital £60,000, leaving a net profit of £138,282, which, together with amount brought forward, enabled the Directors to distribute £156,606; out of this sum £90,000 were paid as bonus to shareholders, leaving £23,337 to carry forward.

The following is an extract from an English newspaper published after the last half-yearly meeting of the ARMY AND NAVY CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY:—"Lord Ebury presided on Monday at the annual meeting of the Army and Navy Co-Operative Society, Limited." He said that "the year which ended on January 31 was the first in which the Society has turned over £3,000,000, and the profits justified a dividend of 200 per cent. on their share capital. Their sales together with miscellaneous revenue (£6546), had amounted to £3,051,000, which was an increase of £118,000 for the year. There were over 17,000 shareholders on the books. It was unanimously resolved to celebrate the completion of the 60th year of the reign by devoting one-fiftieth of the Society's net profits to objects of charity."

"B."—CIVIL SERVICE AND SUPPLY ASSOCIATION shares of 2s 6d each, increased by profits to £1 paid, have received in dividends 10s or 12s 6d per share for each half year for the last twelve years.

"C."—ARMY AND NAVY AUXILIARY CO-OPERATIVE STORES.—This Society paid 5 per cent. for 1884, and 10 per cent. for the next two years, 12½ per cent. for 1886-1887, 20 per cent. for each of the four years 1888 to 1891, and 25 per cent. since.

"D."—CIVIL SERVICE SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—This Society, though limiting its operations in Sydney principally to the sale of Groceries, Wines and Spirits, and certain food supplies, &c., and with a paid-up capital of only £8693, made sales during the half-year ended 31st January, 1897, aggregating £50,854 13s 1d, and showing a gross profit of £11,783 4s 10d for payment of expenses and for distribution to shareholders in dividends and bonuses on purchases, besides carrying forward a substantial balance. These £1 shares are now valued at £4 each in the market.

Taking the last named Sydney business as the nearest possible example, the Householders' Co-operative Stores, Limited, with its more extensive and varied departments, and with its much larger capital, should aggregate sales of from £150,000 to £200,000 per annum, and should yield large profits for distribution to shareholders and bonuses to purchasers.

Shareholders will be entitled to a special bonus according to the profits earned on the amount of their cash purchases, and it is estimated that these will equal fully 10 per cent. It is further contemplated to inaugurate a system by means of which the general public, whose supplies are purchased from this Company, may enjoy, in a lesser degree, the privileges and profits of co-operation, thus ensuring a constantly increasing business.

It is the desire of the Directors to enrol the largest possible number of Householders as Shareholders.

Preference in allotment will be given to applicants for the smallest number of preference shares.

If the whole number applied for by each applicant be not allotted, the surplus amount paid on application will be appropriated in payment of the whole or part due on allotment; where no allotment is made the application money will be returned in full.

The only contract entered into is an agreement to lease the premises hereinbefore referred to, which bears date the fifth day of November, 1897, and is made between SIGMUND SINAUER, LOUIS HENRY NATHAN, ABRAHAM HOFFNUNG, SIDNEY BENJAMIN FRANCIS HOFFNUNG-GOLDSMID, and ALBERT HENRY NATHAN, trading at Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, under the name, style, or firm of "S. HOFFNUNG and CO.," of the one part, and ERNEST WADDELL PERKINS, of 122 Pitt-street, Sydney, Solicitor, a Trustee on behalf of the Company, of the other part. The agreement may be seen on application at the office of the Solicitors.

The costs of flotation, including brokers' commission, will be defrayed by the Company.

Prospectuses and Forms of Application may be obtained from the Brokers or Solicitors.

Sydney, 5th November, 1897.

THE HOUSEHOLDERS' CO-OPERATIVE STORES,
LIMITED.
(To be Registered under the Provisions of the Companies Acts.)

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR SHARES.

TO THE PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS OF THE HOUSEHOLDERS' CO-OPERATIVE STORES, LIMITED (To be Reg.).

Dear Sirs,

I enclose herewith the sum of £ .... being application money for .... PREFERENCE SHARES IN THE ABOVENAMED COMPANY, and I hereby request you to allot me that number of shares upon the terms of the Prospectus, and I hereby agree to accept the said shares or any smaller number that may be allotted to me, and I authorise the Company when registered, to register me as the holder of the said shares.

Name in full ....
Address ....
Date ....
Signature ....

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TO THE PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS OF THE HOUSEHOLDERS' CO-OPERATIVE STORES, LIMITED (to be Reg.).

Dear Sirs,

I enclose herewith the sum of £ ...., being Application Money for the Ordinary Shares in the abovenamed Company hereinafter referred to, and I hereby request you to allot me five ORDINARY SHARES in the abovenamed Company for every fifty Preference Shares allotted to me, and I hereby agree to accept the said Ordinary Shares hereby applied for, or any smaller number that may be allotted to me, and I authorise the Company, when registered, to register me as the holder of the said Ordinary Shares.

Name in full ....
Address ....
Date ....
Signature ....

PROSPECTUS OF THE
DARTMOOR MINING COMPANY,
NO LIABILITY
(to be Registered as a No Liability Company).
DISTRICT: COOMA, NEW SOUTH WALES.

COPPER, SILVER, LEAD, GOLD.

CAPITAL:

£27,500 in 55,000 shares of 10s each, of which 35,000 are offered to the public, 2s being payable on application and 2s on allotment; 20,000 fully paid up shares to be issued to the vendor, and £2000 paid in cash in full payment for the properties.

The sum of £5000, free of expenses, will be placed to the credit of the Company.
Calls not to exceed 6d per share per month as required.
Dividend on all shares to rank alike.
Flotation Charges, Brokerage, Survey Fees, Registration of Company, Transfer and Legal Expenses will be borne by the Vendor.
The Company, when registered, will be listed on Sydney, Melbourne, and Adelaide Exchanges.

DIRECTORS:
JOHN HOWELL (General Manager of Smelting Co. of Australasia)
C. L. GARLAND (Director of Broken Hill Junction North)
JOHN PERRY
W. G. JUDD.

BANKERS:
THE COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY.

SOLICITORS:
JOHNSON, MINTER, SIMPSON, and CO., Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street, Sydney.

SECRETARY:
LEONARD DODDS, Pitt-street, Sydney.

BROKERS:
SYDNEY: DOUST and BERCOMBE, 70 Pitt-street.
MELBOURNE:
ADELAIDE: KARLBAUM and CO., King William-street.

This Company is being formed to acquire and work the properties known as the Dartmoor Mines, Cooma, N.S.W., consisting of 80 acres Freehold, and 80 acres and 33 acres respectively Mineral Areas, making a total of 193 acres. These properties are traversed for nearly a mile along its course by the main Dartmoor lode, and other mineral lodes. Developments on the Dartmoor lode have proved the existence of bodies of highly payable ore, bulk treatments of which have returned as follows:—

THE SMELTING COMPANY OF AUSTRALIA.

Tons.	Cwt.	Qr.	Lb.	
11	17	1	2	... £137 18 3

WALLAROO.

Tons.	Cwt.	Qr.	Lb.	
9	20	3	0	(21cwt. per ton) ... £84 9 6

The close proximity of the Railway and the presence of both iron and limestone fluxes, together with an abundant water supply and cheap coke, give every facility for economical production, and with judicious expenditure of capital the property should prove a highly payable one.

The following is an extract from Mr. Randolph Adams's (late manager of Central Silver-mining Company, Broken Hill) report:—

(Full report and plan may be obtained on application to the Brokers.)

The surface croppings are so large that crosscuts of 50ft. to 150ft. will probably be required to determine the full limit of ore-bearing lode. THE ORE ALREADY EXTRACTED AT SHALLOW DEPTHS HAS IMPROVED IN SINKING AND PROVEN HIGHLY PAYABLE. I AM CONVINCED EQUALLY GOOD ORE COULD QUICKLY BE PROVEN AT OTHER POINTS BY SYSTEMATIC WORK. In this connection I would advise that a competent man should examine and select the most favourable points to exploit, and that the general line of work to follow would be based on the results of this exploration work. THE POSSIBILITIES OF THE PROPERTY, WHEN PROPERLY OPENED, AS A LARGE ORE-PRODUCER ARE CERTAINLY VERY GOOD, AND I DO NOT HESITATE IN CONSIDERING THAT CAPITAL SYSTEMATICALLY USED IN OPENING THE MINE WILL DEVELOP PAYABLE ORE BODIES.

I may mention that on account of the soft nature of the ground, both in the lode formation and country, the underground work can be carried out at exceedingly low rates.

PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, Limited.
Offices: No. 2 SPRING-STREET, SYDNEY.
Subscribed Capital, £1,000,000.
Directors:
RICHARD JONES, Esq., Chairman.
T. H. KELLY, Esq. | EDW. CHISHOLM, Esq.
GEORGE S. CAIRD, Esq. | JAS. R. FAIRFAX, Esq.

May, under its Act of Parliament, be appointed Executor and Trustee under a Will, Trustee under Marriage or other Settlement, Administrator in Intestacy, takes over Existing Trusts from Private Trustees, and conducts Trusts and Agency Business generally.

Employs no Special Solicitors, preferring that legal business should remain with Solicitors hitherto acting.
ARTHUR JOHN MACKENZIE, Manager.

NORTH QUEENSLAND INSURANCE CO., Ltd.
HEAD OFFICE—CORNER PITT AND BRIDGE STREETS, SYDNEY.
AUTHORISED CAPITAL, £250,000.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £115,000.
DIRECTORS: James Burns, Esq. (Burns, Philp and Co., Ltd.), Chairman; John Macpherson, Esq. (Holdsworth, Macpherson, and Co.); John See, Esq., M.L.A.; Adam Forsyth, Esq. (A.U.S.N. Co.); F. Woolcott Waley, Esq.
FIRE AND MARINE RISKS
ACCEPTED AT LOWEST CURRENT RATES.
CHARLES DANVERS, Manager.
T. J. WATTERS, Secretary.

Houses and Land for Sale.
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SHERWOOD HEIGHTS, GUILDFORD.
A resident leaving the district desires to SELL a Unique, beautiful COTTAGE HOME and 5 Acres Grounds, stabling, paddock, orchard. Very low figure.
PIERCY ETHELL and CO., 3 Moore-street.

A LOVELY SEASIDE HOME
FOR SALE AT BONDI,
with magnificent ocean views, in A1 position, and quite close to the tram, a well built and very cool Cottage Villa, containing double drawing-room, dining-room, 5 bedrooms, and most complete domestic offices, fitted in good style with every modern convenience. Nice garden, lawn, and shade trees. Paddock if required.
Price only £1200—One-fourth cash, balance can remain.
PIERCY ETHELL and CO.,
3 Moore-street.

A SUBSTANTIAL 9-roomed HOUSE for SALE, 121 Flinders-street (late Botany-street), near Moore Park, well tenanted. Price, £900.
PIERCY ETHELL and CO., 3 Moore-street.

MOUNTAIN LAND FOR SALE, at Woodford. Nearly 15½ acres.
Price, £30 the block. Terms, £4 deposit and £1 monthly.
A Bargain.
PIERCY ETHELL and CO., 3 Moore-street.

A SPLENDID Water-frontage BLOCK OF LAND for SALE or TO LET, cheap, fronting WATERVIEW BAY, BALMAIN, suit any trade or for building.
PIERCY ETHELL and CO., 3 Moore-street.

A MORTGAGEE SALE.
A Choice Mountain COTTAGE SITE at Medlow, 132ft. x 230ft. A corner.
Only £50. Terms, £2 down and £1 monthly.
PIERCY ETHELL and CO., 3 Moore-street.

BURLINGTON-ROAD, HOMEBUSH.
For immediate SALE (vendor leaving the colony), a COTTAGE VILLA, 7 rooms, domestic offices, CHOICE GARDEN. Determined to sell. Everything first-class. Easy price. PIERCY ETHELL and CO., 3 Moore-st.

KOGARAH.—Lots 9, Section 1, Forest-road, and 27, corner of Northbrook and Carrington streets, for SALE, cheap.
PIERCY ETHELL, Moore-street, city.

ROSE BAY.—3 Allotments, well fenced, 75 x 145, very cheap. Piercy Ethell and Co., 3 Moore-st.

F. J. CAHILL and CO., 70 ELIZABETH-STREET, have for PRIVATE SALE—
CITY.—5 Brick Houses, splendid letting position, returning £130 year. £1300.
CITY.—2 Brick Houses, close Belmore Park, returning £52 year. £500.
BURWOOD.—Pretty det. Brick Cottage, 5 rms., kit., gar., &c. Look at the easy terms, £25 dep., bal. 12s wk., £400.
KATOOMBA.—Block Land, 358 x 330, only £250, easy terms can be arranged.
ASHFIELD.—Det. Brick Cottage, 6 rooms, every modern convenience, £475.
CARLTON.—A rare chance to secure a pretty det. Brick Cott., close station, 5 rooms, bath, washhouse, &c., £220; £30 deposit, balance 12s wk.
KATOOMBA, close station.—Block of Land, 140 x 358, only £150, easy terms can be arranged.
DULWICH HILL.—House, 6 rooms, every convenience, £475, £25 deposit.
NEWTOWN.—Terrace 5 Houses, each 4 rooms, kit., gas, every con., close Deaf and Dumb Asylum. Rentals, £130. Price, £1000.
NEWTOWN.—Terrace 12 Houses, close to above, all well let, returning £312 year. Price, £2400.
WATER FRONTAGES.—Hunter's Hill, Parramatta River, £6 foot.
ARNCLIFFE, one minute from station.—Pretty det. Brick Cott., 6 rms., every conv., lovely views, garden, conser., &c., £700, £150 dep., bal. can remain on mtge.
PADDINGTON, Glenmore-road, good neighbourhood.—Semi-det. House, 6 rms., kit., bal. and ver., foldg doors, bath, gar., &c., choice pos., Torrens, £650, £400 can remain on mortgage.
NEWTOWN, Forbes-street, Darlington Boundary.—Semi-det. House, 1 min. 'bus or tram, 6 rms., every conven., £425.
BOURKE-STREET, close to Moore Park.—Compact semi-det. House, 8 rms., kit., gas all over house, laundry, garden, stable, tiled verandah, and every convenience, £770, Torrens.

CHATSWOOD, close station, only £20 deposit, for new brick Cottage in this choice and healthy suburb, 5 rooms, hall, kit., bath, tubs, &c., land 72 x 130, only £450, bargain. Cahill and Co., Milson's Pt., and 70 Eliz.-st., city.

NORTH SYDNEY.—Owner leaving Sydney will sacrifice his snug little Home at the ridiculously low price of £175, det. W.B. Cottage, 3 rooms, hall, bath, tubs, water, choice flower garden. Cahill and Co., Milson's Pt.

NORTH SYDNEY.—Superb little Home at low cost, new det. brick Cottage, 6 rooms, hall, kit., bath, folding doors, marble mantels, gas, water, &c., only £550, cheap. CAHILL and CO., Milson's Point.

NORTH SYDNEY.—Here's an investment that should command the attention of small investors and others. £25 deposit for purchase of 2 Brick COTTAGES, well let, return £52 year, only £500. CAHILL and CO.

NORTH SYDNEY.—Imperative Sale.—Owner leaving colony.—15 p.c net return after paying all rates, taxes, and municipal charges, 2 brick Houses and W.B. Cottage, well let, rents £60 year, price only £350. Cahill and Co.

NORTH SYDNEY. Pretty modern COTTAGE, 6 rooms, hall, kit., bath, tubs, gas, water, &c., replete with every convenience, if sold at once will accept £600.
CAHILL and CO., Milson's Point.

NORTH Sydney.—Det. W.B. Cottage, 4 rooms, kit., &c., let good tenant, 8s 6d wk., only £130. Cahill.

CANLEY VALE.—Orchard and Poultry FARM, land 1 acre, 4 rooms, kit., outhouses, lovely garden, £280, for Sale or Exchange for Suburban Property. Apply HINE BROS., Produce Merchants, Western-road, Balmain.

HANDSOME New Brick Detached COTTAGE, slate roof, wide hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, marble mantels, bathroom, laundry, copper, tubs, cooking range, venetian blinds, tiled verandah, cavity walls, well built, highly finished, gas, water, carriage entrance, close tram, 'bus, inspect, £360, terms. MANN, Marion-street, Leichhardt.

GOOD Investment.—3 Brick Detached COTTAGES, slate roof, 5 rooms, hall, tiled verandah, iron railing, gas, city water, close tram, 'bus, return 11 per cent, splendid position, £650. MANN, Marion-street, Leichhardt.

SPLENDID young ORCHARD, 35 acres, 3000 fruit trees (5 and 6 years), summer and winter fruit, splendid soil, abundance water, 5-roomed Cottage, horses, buggy, cart, dray, farming implements, 20 miles Sydney, close station; £1800, bargain, returns £450 year, Torrens. Owner leaving for England. Mann, Marion-st., Leich'dt.

GREATEST BARGAIN OFFERED.—Owner leaving colony.—25 ACRES, splendid land, 10 acres orchard and vineyard, 4-room Cottage, stable, poultry, cow, horse, springcart, harness, plenty water, farming implements, high position, handy station, 34 miles Sydney, £450.
MANN, Marion-street, Leichhardt.

BEAUTIFUL young ORCHARD and VINEYARD, 22 acres, all full bearing, 6-room Cottage, fronting fresh-water creek, cows, horses, beehives, fruit van, dogcart, dray, vegetable garden, return about £300 a year, splendid deep soil, close station, 27 miles, inspect this, £1150.
MANN, Marion-street, Leichhardt.

MOSMAN.—Cosy Cottages, 5 and 6 rooms, ample domestic offices, from £500 each, Torrens title, easy terms; cheap Allotments from 30s per foot. Raywood & Co., Est. Ag., Avenue-rd., Mosm. Leave tr. Gladstone-av.

ROBERT MOODIE, 7 Post Office-chambers HAS FOR SALE:—
LAND.
DUNDAS.—1a. 0r. 2p., near proposed station, cheap.
DOUGLAS PARK.—4la. 1r. 21½p., Wilton-road, £200.
FIELD OF MARS.—3 Acres, water frontage, £800.
NORTH SYDNEY, Victoria-street, 60 x 100, £200.
Euroka-street, 44 x 124, £80.
RYDE, Hermitage-road, &c.—302 x 396, very cheap.
MOSMAN, Magic-street.—66 x 250, £100.
Mistral-street.—59 x 220, £125.
Raglan-street.—45 x 122, £115.
Ditto.—45 x 285, £150.
Ditto.—141 x 180, £425.
Redan-street.—250 x 200, £750.
WILLOUGHBY.—Mowbray-road, 37 x 140, £75.
Mowbray-road, 44 x 140, £100.
High-street, 46 x 183, £100.
These Lots are at tram terminus.
COOGEE, Dudley-street.—132 x 330, £250.
And various other Sites.

HOUSES.
CHATSWOOD.—Cottage, Railway-parade, £900.
ENMORE.—Two Houses, Charles-street, £800.
MOSMAN.—Two Cottages on easy terms.
MARRICKVILLE.—Cottage, Illawarra-road, £820.
NORTH SYDNEY.—Cottage, near M'Mahon's Point ferry, £600.
House, High-street, £800.
Cottage, West-street, 66 x 220, £450.
New COTTAGE, Alexander-street, £600.
PADDINGTON.—HOUSE, Windsor-street, £500.
MANLY.—2 HOUSES, Red Hill, £800.
And other Properties in various localities.

LOANS ARRANGED ON APPROVED SECURITIES.

PADDINGTON.—74 Windsor street, 5-roomed SHOP and DWELLING, stone and brick, slated roof. Land, 20 x 105. Torrens title. Will sell for £700. NO DEPOSIT NECESSARY. 20s per week payments; 15s as rent, 15s off principal. The property is let on a lease for another three years at 26s per week, but this may be got over.
GEO. CROWLEY,
City Mutual Life, Hunter-street.

AT WAVERLEY.—By order of the Mortgagees.—Several good Building ALLOTMENTS, fronting main thoroughfares, opposite Waverley Park and close to 'bus and tram; also ALLOTMENTS in the Bronte Estate, handy to beach and tram, from 5s per foot; all Torrens title. Clients driven round to inspect. Marked plans, &c., on application to ALLDIS and CO., Estate Agents, Charing Cross, Waverley.

DARLINGHURST.—For SALE, a New DETACHED QUEEN ANNE VILLA, 8 rooms and every modern domestic convenience, BEAUTIFUL POSITION OVERLOOKING BAY, land over ¼ acre.
PRICE, &c., apply
SIDNEY RAPER, 90 Pitt-street.

HOMEBUSH.—Very superior modern COTTAGE RESIDENCE in a first-class position, near station, for SALE cheap, 7 large rooms, ceilings 12½ft. high. Cards to view. J. T. SHAW, Station Gates, Strathfield.

NEUTRAL BAY.—Detached Brick COTTAGE, near ferry, 4 rooms, kit., washhouse, bathroom, &c.; land 20 x 160; price, £225; very easy terms if desired. Why pay Rent? STANWAY and SLACK, Milson's Point.

NORTH SYDNEY, MOSMAN, &c. COTTAGES, HOUSES, LAND, and INVESTMENT PROPERTIES FOR SALE.
STANWAY and SLACK,
Milson's Point.

WAHROONGA,
NORTH SHORE LINE.
Quarter-acre and larger BLOCKS for SALE, near the station; easy terms.
STANWAY and SLACK,
Milson's Point.

WOOLLAHRA, Grosvenor-street, 100 yards Edgecliff-road 2d 'bus.—A charming Detached VILLA, faithfully built, brick, slate roof, contains 6 rooms and offices, f.-doors, just finished, with modern conveniences, massive marble mantels, tiled hearths and grates, balconies, and tower, with harb. views, cheap, £650, terms. Open to-day.

FOREST LODGE.—Very suitable for Cabmen, Vanmen, or others requiring yard space.—Freehold COTTAGE, hall, 4 large rooms, kitchen, and stable; land, 30 x 100; price, £375; terms. WILLGOSS, 16 Glebe-road.

PADDINGTON.—Three Brick COTTAGES, half-hall, 3 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, good yards, verandah, freehold, £600. This is a splendid letting property, and pays 10 per cent. net. H. WILLGOSS, 16 Glebe-road.

GLEBE.—LEASEHOLD, Brick Cottage, 5 rooms and outhouses, large yd., land 22 x 80 20ft. lane. Why pay rent, when you can buy this snug home for £85? J. STIMSON and SONS, 45 Glebe-road, Glebe.

ORCHARD, in famous fruit-growing district, near Blacktown, 2½ acres, paling fenced, planted choice assorted fruit trees (4 years old, bearing), nice 3-roomed Cottage, u.g. tank, iron ditto; the whole in perfect order; price only £180. Or Exchange City Property.
J. STIMSON and SONS, 45 Glebe-road, Glebe.

BLUE MOUNTAINS, Lawson.—Large, lofty, well-furnished W.B. COTTAGE, nearly new, corner, 165 x 100. Torrens. Cost £550, sell £375, or Exchange same value near city. J. STIMSON, 45 Glebe street, Glebe.

WHY PAY RENT?—BALMAIN.—New substantially-built COTTAGE, 5 rooms, every convenience, splendid views, close to tram, 'bus, or boat, £425, small deposit, easy terms. Torrens title.
THE INTERCOLONIAL INVESTMENT CO., Limited,
309 Pitt-street.

WAVERLEY.—For Private SALE, close to Waverley Post-office and Bondi Junction, Splendid SITES, reduced prices from £2 foot, very cheap, easy terms. Title Torrens. MONEY LENT to Build. Plans from the INTERCOLONIAL INVESTMENT CO., Ltd., 309 Pitt-street
W. J. DOUGLAS, Manager.

WAVERLEY, close Bondi Junction, elevated position. —New Detached Brick COTTAGE, 4 rooms, kitchen, with sink, laundry (tubs, &c.), bathroom, marble mantels, tiled hearths, splendidly built, all conveniences connected with sewer. Good views. Land 30ft. frontage. Only £350. Small deposit, balance as rent. G. GRIMLEY, Stanley-street, near Fitzgerald-street, Waverley; or W. J. DOUGLAS, 309 Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, a good Letting Property, corner SHOP and DWELLING, 5 rooms, kitchen, stabling, and outbuildings; also 2 lots of ages, 5 rooms, good stabling, close 1d tram, 2d 'bus, and Public school; land, 45ft. to Albion-st., 95ft. to Trafalgar-st.; sewer con. 10 p.c. clear, with or without business, Torrens. 54 Albion-st., Annandale.

BARGAIN.—Country STORE, 3 acres orchard, working plant, business £60 month, £350. 5 View-st., An'dale.

WENTWORTHVILLE.—50 Acres LAND, Torrens, £10 acre, near P'matt. G. H. Mobbs, Parramatta.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.—Hornsby, near Junction, good young ORCHARD PROPERTY, Cottage, 10 acres.
G. H. MOBBS, Parramatta.

ORCHARD, Vineyard, homestead, permanent water, present crop worth £250; inspection invite, only 15 minutes from station; price £850, terms.
G. H. MOBBS, Parramatta.

PENNANT HILLS, 2 miles from Parramatta.—Splendid mixed ORCHARD, returns £200 year, cottage, packing sheds, stable, creek fresh water; £600, easy terms.
A. H. FERRIS, Parramatta.

A SPLENDID CHANCE.—For SALE or EXCHANGE for Cottage between Strathfield and Parramatta, 10 Acres choice Orchard and Poultry Farm, 1000 full-bearing trees, best sorts oranges, lemons, mandarins, plums, peaches, pears, apricots, loquats, &c., cottage 4 rooms, grand position, large returns; only 2 miles from Parramatta; perfect title; drive to inspect; price £700.
G. H. MOBBS,
Property Auctioneer,
Tel., 18. Parramatta.

A GIFT.—2 6-roomed HOUSES, bal., brick on stone, gas, well let, equity, £125. 3 Sloane-st., Newtown.

PRETTY det. Brick COTTAGE, hall, 5 rooms, copper, bath, slate roof, land 25 x 105, nice garden, c car tram, 'bus, only £300, terms. See this comfortable home.
FROST, 207 Parramatta-road, Leichhardt.

CAMPERDOWN.—3 Weatherboard COTTAGES, let for years at 20s weekly. These are a good investment, and can be secured at a low figure. Make offer.
FROST, 207 Parramatta-road, Leichhardt.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.—Splendid Block LAND, 60 x 120; a gift at £60. Frost, 207 P'matta-rd., L'hardt.

ANNANDALE.—Beautiful new Villa, 8 rms., all conv., £600, terms. Frost., 207 Parramatta-rd., L'hardt.

KOGARAH.—Splendid Corner Building BLOCK, 98ft. to Montgomery-street and 45ft. to Kensington-street. £1 10s per foot.
A. D. GIBBONS, Parramatta.

PARRAMATTA.—Beautiful Citrus and Summer Fruit ORCHARD, full bearing, 9 acres, pretty cottage, 6 rooms, returns £200 a year, price £750, terms. Torrens title. A. D. GIBBONS, Parramatta.

KATOOMBA.—Furnish. House, 8 r'ms, land 120 x 100, close station, £500, terms. A. D. Gibbons, Parramatta.

WANTED, from private lender, £525, on house, sub., value £825, interest 6½ p. c. Owner, Herald, King-st.

FOUR-RMD. Weatherboard Cottage, copper, water, land 40 x 132, bargain. J. Goodman, Lily-st., Hurstvl.

GLEBE POINT.—Detached VILLA, 9 rooms, kitchen, laundry, good order, splen. posi., £1100. 7 Arcadia-rd.

PERTH SUBURBAN LAND.
A CHANCE FOR LAND SPECULATORS.
CLEARANCE SALE
of the
WELL-KNOWN CANNING ESTATE.

We have sold over £22,000 worth of this valuable Property in Sydney within the last two years, much of which has been resold at a good profit. We are offering the Balance in Blocks of from 20 to 50 Acres each.
Tempting prices, Liberal Terms. Torrens.
CHAPMAN and HAZLEWOOD,
127 King-street.

A CLEARANCE SALE of Water-frontages at PITT-WATER, the Favourite Waterside Resort, only 16 acres unsold. £30 per acre; terms.
CHAPMAN and HAZLEWOOD, 127 King-street.

PYMBLE.—HILLSIDE ESTATE
fronting Grand View-street,
Pera-street,
Stoney Creek-road.
Capital BUILDING SITES, close to station.
For SALE, in lots to suit purchasers.
Prices Moderate; terms. Send for Plans.
CHAPMAN and HAZLEWOOD, 127 King-street.

AT PITTWATER. By Order of Mortgagees.—For SALE, a capital Residential SITE, 37½ acres, at Church Point, commanding extensive views. Torrens title. CHAPMAN and HAZLEWOOD, 127 King-street.

AT GORDON we have good elevated Building SITE, close to station, with good depths, at from 10s per foot. Liberal terms. Send for plans and inspect.
CHAPMAN and HAZLEWOOD, 127 King-street.

CHATSWOOD. MORTGAGEE'S SALE.
A BARGAIN.
Detached COTTAGE, tiled verandah, hall, 7 rooms (2 rooms 20ft. long), kitchen, laundry, bathroom, pantry, marble mantels, tiled hearths, good area of land, splendid position, Torrens title; £690, small deposit, and very easy terms. CHAPMAN and HAZLEWOOD,
127 King-street.

WORKMAN'S CHANCE.—Twenty Pounds deposit, balance as rent, 10s 6d per week till paid, low interest.—Leichhardt, Brick HOUSE, 4 rooms, kitchen, &c., good order. £230. Reduced tram fares. Key at 14 Macauley-street. CHAPMAN and HAZLEWOOD,
127 King-street.

AT PETERSHAM.—Owner, leaving the district, will sacrifice his superior detached COTTAGE, almost new, containing drawing, dining, 3 large bed rooms, kitchen with range and sink, laundry (fitted), bathroom, storeroom, &c., splendidly finished throughout, price only £330, a great bargain, terms, Torrens title.
C. H. CRAMMOND,
Drive to inspect. Petersham station.

STANMORE, on the HILL.—Read This.—Charming new COTTAGE, never been occupied, guaranteed faithfully built, contains 5 large rooms, kitchen with range and sink, and complete outoffices, elaborately finished throughout, with massive marble mantels, tiled hearths and grates, superior gas fittings, plenty of land; the position is second to none, and the views can never be built out; price £400, terms; Torrens.
C. H. CRAMMOND,
Tel., 86. Petersham station.

STANMORE.—An up-to-date, double-front, bow-window COTTAGE RESIDENCE, good position, easterly aspect, contains 5 splendid rooms, 2 halls, and complete outoffices, magnificent block of land, 200ft deep, a genuine bargain at £540; inspection invited; easy terms.
Tel., 86. C. H. CRAMMOND, Petersham.

STANMORE.—A Gentleman's VILLA RESIDENCE, situated in the best position available in this favourite suburb, only 4 minutes from station and 2 minutes from tram (fare 2d), contains bow-window, drawing and dining rooms, connected by folding doors, 3 splendid bedrooms, servant's room, kitchen, and complete outoffices, connected with sewer, wide verandah front and rear, valuable corner block of land 150ft., buggy entrance; price only £650, terms; Torrens title. Nothing cheaper in the market. Owner determined to sell.
Note. My office is open till 6 Saturdays.
I drive to inspect free of charge. Many other Properties for Sale in all suburbs not specially advertised. Cash or terms, to suit buyers.
C. H. CRAMMOND,
Tel., 86. Petersham station.

ASHFIELD.—For SALE, a bargain, very pretty Brick slate-roof COTTAGE, in first-class order, standing in the grand block of land of 142ft. frontage by 124ft. deep, 5 rooms, kitchen, gas and water, all conveniences, only £600, easy terms at 5 per cent. COLLIN'S Agency, at Summer Hill station. Drive to inspect.

SUMMER HILL.—Handsome Detached COTTAGE RESIDENCE, standing well within splendid block of land, laid out with gardens and lawns, 8 large cheerful rooms, French polished cedar fittings throughout cottage, stables and outoffices, all conveniences. This property is well worth inspection. Good position. Will be sold lot less than cost; a bargain.
COLLIN'S Agency, at Summer Hill station.

SUMMER HILL. For SALE, a Gem, pretty Cottage, just completed, cont. 5 rooms and outoffices, latest improvements, pleasantly situated, 50 x 200, nr. station, £500, terms if required, barg. COLLIN, Summer Hill station.

SUMMER HILL.—For SALE, new COTTAGE, situated 5 minutes from station, 5 rooms, out-offices, land 50 x 200, only £500; terms.
COLLIN'S AGENCY, at Summer Hill station.

SUMMER HILL.—For SALE, a fine GENTLEMAN'S COTTAGE RESIDENCE, beautifully fitted with cedar, lofty ceilings, 8 splendid rooms, two halls, kitchen, bath, storeroom, man's room, stable, coachhouse, standing in a grand elevated block of land laid out as garden, lawn. Will be sold considerably less than cost. Easy walk to station. COLLIN'S AGENCY, at Summer Hill station. Drive to inspect.

SUMMER HILL.—Corner SHOP and DWELLING, in very good position for small business, must be sold, CHEAP, contains 4 rooms, kitchen, &c.; price £275 on terms, or a slight reduction for cash. STANTON and SON, Agents, Summer Hill.

COTTAGE PROPERTY of very latest style, 5 rooms, hall, kitchen, bath, laundry, tubs, marble mantels, Venetian blinds, position is very choice, uninterrupted views, land 50 x 200, to be sold a great bargain, £500, easy terms from £25 deposit, balance weekly rentals, capital investment. Stanton and Son, Estate Agents, Summer Hill.

TO INVESTORS, TRUSTEES, SPECULATORS, &c.

HOTEL PROPERTY.—For SALE, the freehold, situate in thriving and busy suburb near Sydney, building completely in accordance with the Act. The property must be sold, price £2000; £1200 can remain upon mortgage, balance £800 cash. Present rental shows splendid return, next year increased rental. Further particulars and inspection with
Messrs. STANTON and SON,
Estate Agents,
Summer Hill.

MINTO, M. S. line.—15 ac. LAND, 4 ac. Orchard and vine-bearing, fenced, creek, Cottage, 5 rooms, tanks, sheds, fowlyards, wire-netted, 100 choice poultry, 2 horses, cart and harness, and all farming implements; price, £275, terms; this is a gift, cost double; 1 mile from railway stn. 207 Abercrombie-st., Redf., or H. A., P.O., Minto.

EXTRAORDINARY BARGAIN.—Rent equal to only 11s week.—To Suburban and City Rent-payers.—A HOUSE and Grounds, worth 25s, can be purchased for £600 on deposit and interest at 5½ per cent., equalling about 11s week; only 12 miles from Sydney on main suburban line; 6 rooms, kitchen, fine paddock, stable, and every convenience; a fine healthy home for a family.
Apply to
Mortgaged, Crown-street P.O.
No agents

PETERSHAM.—Charming New Brick COTTAGE of Queen Anne design, tiled roof, 5 rooms, kitchen, all modern outoffices, marble mantels, tiled hearths, iron railing in front, side entrance, on heights, only 5 minutes from station, Torrens title, forced sale, price £320; simply a gift.
HARVEY and CO. (late Fowler and Fowler),
Tel., 62 Petersham, opp. station.

STANMORE.—A magnificent Double-fronted BRICK COTTAGE, slate roof, quite new, never been occupied, contains 5 rooms, all outoffices, marble mantels, tiled hearths and verandahs, handsome gasaliers, iron railing on stone coping, standing well within the splendid block of land 200ft. deep, 2 frontages, Torrens title; on the hill, only 5 minutes from station; price £540; great bargain.
HARVEY and CO.,
Petersham, opp. station.
Tel., 62. Drive to inspect.

ASHFIELD.—Look at this! Handsome RESIDENCE of brick, Welsh slate roof, has never been occupied, 7 splendid rooms, outoffices, land 100ft. frontage, immense depth, Torrens title, close to station, mortgagee's sale, price £675. Nothing better. HARVEY and CO., Petersham, opp. station. Tel., 62. We drive to inspect.

PETERSHAM.—HARVEY and CO. (late Fowler and Fowler), House Agents, opp. Petersham station. Clients driven to inspect free of charge. Office open till 6 every Saturday. Telephone, 62.

DOUBLE-FRONTED Brick COTTAGE, 1 min. stn. 5 rs., kit., laundry, &c., £500. Laverack, Lewisham.

LEWISHAM.—Houses, 5 min. from stn., 7 large rms., kit., all mod. conv., £500, e. ts. Laverack, Lewisham.

PRETTY COTTAGE, 4 rooms, kit., &c., all modern conveniences, £280. Laverack and Co., Lewisham.

LAVERACK and CO., Lewisham, being Agents for several of the large Societies, have a long list of PROPERTIES for SALE cheap and on easy terms.
Drive to inspect. Telephone, 92 Petersham.

DARLINGTON.—Snug Cottage HOME, 4 rooms, good order, £150. Chapman and Hazlewood, 127 King-st.

STRATHFIELD.—Superior Cottage VILLA, contains 8 rooms, kitchen, and offices, complete, fine corner block of land, tennis L., &c.; good building land taken as part price. J. L. GARDINER, Carrington-avenue.

AT Wentworthville Estate, two splendid Allotments LAND, 110ft. x 156ft., near railway; Torrens title. Cost £100, will sell for £50.
S. GEE and CO., 309 Pitt-street.

DRUMMOYNE.—A beautiful Stone COTTAGE, containing drawing and dining rooms, 2 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, pantry, washhouse, verandahs back and front; Torrens title; land 30 x 165 ft., water and gas; will sell for £425 cash.
S. GEE and CO., 309 Pitt-street.

ENMORE.—Brick COTTAGE, 5 rms., bath, copper, gas, stab., &c., 66 x 100, £165. Turnell, Enm.-rd., M'ville.

PETERSHAM.—ABSOLUTE BARGAIN.—Detached new Cottage VILLA (Queen Anne), hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, all modern conveniences, 5 minutes to station; leaving district, must sell at once, sacrifice, £320. Nothing cheaper. FOWLER and FOWLER, 81 Elizabeth-street, Sydney, near King-street.

SOUND INVESTMENT.—Terrace of 4 Brick HOUSES at Enmore (2d tram), slate roof, also detached Brick HOUSE, all in first-class order, rents £88 8s, price £725. FOWLER and FOWLER, 81 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

ANOTHER SAFE INVESTMENT, at Newtown.—Two COTTAGES, always let, close station, rents £45, price £400 the two. Inspection invited. Bargain.
FOWLER and FOWLER, 81 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

FOR SALE, cash or terms, Weatherboard COTTAGE, 4 rooms, kitchen and outhouses, every convenience, 2 minutes from tram or 'bus. Apply Mr. J. LEE, Coward-street, North Botany.

A GIFT.—DARLINGTON, 135 Rose-street.—For SALE, new HOUSE, splendidly finished, din., sit., 4 bed rooms, lovely bath, folding doors, lead lights, marble lavatory and mantels, tiled ver., hearths, nice kit., s. sink, laundry fitted to perfection, copp., tubs, cupb'd, &c., &c. Inspection invited. £30 dep. easy terms. J. M'GILL.

COOGEE GARDENS.—Sites for Refreshment Stands and various kinds of amusements. Mr. Larmour, Coogee.

A BARGAIN Block of LAND, 40 x 105, near suburb, £60, offer wanted. G. R. Swyny, 265½ Pitt-st.

FOR Immediate SALE, COTTAGE, 39 Edgeware-rd., Enmore, 4 rs., kit., bargain, £360. Swyny, 265½ Pitt-st.

POULTRY FARM, 3-roomed Cottage, 4 acres of ground, securely fenced, with permanent water; all necessary fowlsheds, situated at Ryde.
360 Crown-street, Darlinghurst.

HOMESTEAD, PARRAMATTA PARK.—10 acres sand, fruit, orchard, cultivation and grass paddocks, fowlyards, rich land, unfailing water, cottage, 6 rooms, bathroom, and outbuildings, Torrens; £300 cash, and balance £400 at 5 per cent.
A. D. GIBBONS, Parramatta.

FOR Sale, Windsor-st., P'dington, House, 4 rs., kit. w'house, top., b'room, pantry. F. Little, Chippendale.

MANLY.—Substantial Stone HOUSE, ¼-acre land, 1 mile from steamer, £90. J. Duncan, Corso.

BARGAIN.—HOUSE for SALE, cheap, furnished or unfurnished, 5 rooms and kitchen, every convenience, good position, fine view. Frederick-street, Rockdale.
A. SIMPSON.

THE SALE TO ATTEND THIS AFTERNOON is MERIAM HILL, at Ryde Railway Station. Blocks and Allotments. Easy Terms. Torrens Title. Charming Sites.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Ltd.

Wanted to Purchase.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING.
Mr. and Miss M. MITCHELL have a great demand for all kinds LEFT-OFF CLOTHING, and also supply other colonies. Can give more than any other dealers. Ladies changing for mourning. Old Teeth, Jewellery, Portmanteaus, Bed and Table Linen, Furniture, &c. Letters and Parcels attend. Address 145 and 147 Bathurst-st., city.

OLD Artificial Teeth.—Old Artificial Teeth Bought, highest price given. M. Mitchell, 145, 147 Bathurst-st.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING BUYERS.
The Original Mr. and Mrs. WOOLF returned from England, and, having a great demand for Ladies', Gents.'s, and Children's LEFT-OFF CLOTHING, can give more than any other dealer in the colony. Bed and Table Linen, Silver Plate, Old Gold, Old Artificial Teeth, Portmanteaus, Rugs, and Articles of every description Bought. Letters and appointments punctually attended to by Mr. or Mrs. WOOLF,
112 BATHURST-STREET (late of 124).

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING BUYERS
Mr. and Mrs. BARNETT give Extreme Value for Ladies', Gentlemen's, Children's Left-off Clothing. Portmanteaus, Old Gold, Silver, Artificial Teeth, Articles of every description bought. Letters punctual, attended to by Mr. or Mrs. BARNETT, 124 Bathurst-street.

SECOND-HAND CLOTHING BUYERS.—Mr. and Mrs. ROSENTHAL are prepared to give the Highest Prices for Left-off Clothing, Bed and Table Linen, Old Gold, Artificial Teeth, Portmanteaus, Rugs, and every description of New and Second-hand Property. We are pre-eminent in the trade through giving highest prices. Letters and appointments promptly attended to by Mr. or Mrs. ROSENTHAL, 114 and 116 Bathurst-street.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING BUYERS.
Knowing their great cost, we are prepared to give their full value. Letters and appointments punctually attended to. Mr. or Miss BENJAMIN,
Elizabeth and Goulburn streets.

STAMPS, Stamps.—Used Australian Postage Stamps Bought. Price list free. Prof. Hagen, 74 Eliz.-st.

BOOKBINDERS' Iron Standing PRESSES wanted. State price, Box 1400, G.P.O.

PIANOS, Household Furniture, Office Furniture Bought for spot cash, any quantity. Box 6, Park-st. P.O.

STAMPS.—I Purchase Stamp Collections and Early Australian Issues at good prices. D. Collins, 65 Oxf.-st.

KITCHEN FAT Bought or Soap in Exchange. Letters. W. Castle, 46 Shepherd-st., Darlington.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING, Gold, Silver Plate, Sundries bought. Mr. and Mrs. Gubbins, 69 Geo.-st. W. Let. at.

BOOTMAKERS' Sewing Machines wanted, good order. State price, Box 1400, G.P.O.

WANTED, small Collection STAMPS, also any larger lots, Australian issues. Part., prices, V. K., Herald.

TICKETS to Melbourne, Adelaide, Brisbane, Broken Hill, West Australia, New Zealand, England, purchased at full cost or exchanged. THE INTERCOLONIAL TOURIST AGENCY, 108 Pitt-st., opposite G.P.O.

OLD POSTAGE STAMPS.—Rare Australians particularly wanted. Smyth and Nicolle, 14 Hunter-st.

VULCANISER, complete, rubber stamp making, small: suitable travelling, at once. H. O. Clayton, Herald.

TICKETS.—Melbourne, Adelaide, W.A., N. Zealand Queensland, London, &c. 159 Pitt-st., next G.P.O.

TICKETS.—Wanted any quantity, highest prices given. Melbourne, Adelaide, Brisbane, W.A., N. Zealand, Tasmania, Europe, others; also Sell, Exchange, all parts. FIRKINS, 185 KING-STREET, NEAR Q. TART'S.

Auction Sales.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
CAMPERDOWN YARDS.
FRIDAY NEXT, NOVEMBER 12th
50 HIGH-CLASS HORSES 50.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. T. and W. D. MOXHAM to sell by auction, as above,
50 HIGH-CLASS HORSES 50,
comprising
Heavy and active Draught Colts and Fillies, 4 to 6 years old, broken and unbroken.
Also,
Upstanding high-class light Horses, 4 and 5 years old, among the lot being one specially good; thoroughly broken to saddle, single and double harness.

MESSRS. MOXHAM DESCRIBE THE ABOVE AS QUITE UP TO PREVIOUS CONSIGNMENTS, AND AMONGST THE DRAFT ARE HORSES SUITABLE FOR ALL CLASSES OF BUYERS.

TO RACING MEN AND OTHERS.
THOROUGHBRED FILLY FROM RICHMOND.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. A. B. POWELL to sell by auction, at their BAZAAR, on WEDNESDAY Next, at 12 o'clock, Dark-brown thoroughbred Filly, rising 3 years old, by Wilberforce, dam Carmine, by Gloucester, dam Eleanor (sister to Lady Lovel), by the Drummer (imp.), dam Paradigm (the dam of Sylvanus and Paragraph).
The above filly is untried.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
CAMPERDOWN YARDS.
WEDNESDAY NEXT, THE 10th INSTANT.
To Omnibus and Cab Proprietors, Private Gentlemen, and Others.
70 HIGH-CLASS COUNTRY HORSES. 70

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction as above.
On account of WESTERN AGENTS, WALGETT
(direct from the Llanillo station),
35 HIGH-CLASS WELL-BRED LIGHT HORSES, 4 and 5 years old, possessing size and substance, by the thoroughbred stallion Comet, and all bearing the following well-known brands, GW and RC over ⌄.

THE ABOVE ARE DESCRIBED AS A FIRST-CLASS LOT OF HORSES, AND ARE DIRECT FROM THE BREEDER'S STATION.

On account Mr. CHAS. M'MAHON, COWRA,
35 SUPERIOR FRESH COUNTRY HORSES,
COMPRISING
principally good, strong, light harness and saddle sorts, 4 to 6 years old, broken and unbroken.

** Amongst the lot are several useful buggy ponies, thoroughly broken-in, including one by the trotting sire Messenger.

Mr. M'MAHON DESCRIBES THE ABOVE AS A VERY FINE LOT, ALL IN GOOD CONDITION, AND QUITE EQUAL TO ANYTHING HE HAS YET BROUGHT TO THIS MARKET.

STYLISH BROUGHAM.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, on MONDAY Next, at 12 o'clock,
Stylish English-built Brougham, with pole and shafts, and in first-class order.

NO RESERVE.

TO RACING MEN, &c.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, on FRIDAY, November 12th, at 12 o'clock,
ALUMINIUM, well-known Racing Mare, by Metal (imp.), from Its Curious, by Marvellous (imp.).

TO RACING MEN AND OTHERS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the Mortgagees to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, on MONDAY Next, at 12 o'clock,
THE TOILER (LATE FAWN II.), a well-known Racing Mare, and a good performer.

Full Particulars at Sale. FOR SALE WITHOUT RESERVE.

ESTATE OF WILLIAM PENNY, Deceased.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the Curator of Intestate Estates to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, on WEDNESDAY Next, at 12 o'clock,
Chestnut Gelding, broken to saddle and harness; Hooded Jump-seat Buggy and Set of Harness, Saddle and Bridle, &c.

GEORGE KISS wants to Purchase a number of Draught MARES, breeding purp. Bazaar, This Day.

ATTRACTIVE SALE OF HORSES,
suitable for Broughams, Carriages, and all light harness work.
CAMPERDOWN YARDS.
WEDNESDAY, 17th INSTANT, at 2.30 p.m.

HILL, CLARK, and CO. have received instructions from Mr. V. J. Dowling, Lue, to sell by auction, as above,
18 HEAD young Horses, principally COACHERS, and a FEW DRAUGHTS.

THE ABOVE ARE DESCRIBED as an exceptionally fine lot, so all lovers of a stylish buggy or carriage horse should not miss this sale.

CAMPERDOWN SALE YARDS.
WEDNESDAY, 10th INSTANT,
at 2.30 p.m.

HILL, CLARK, and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, as above, from
Mr. E. A. Traynor, Moree,
ONE Truck of EXCEPTIONALLY FINE DRAUGHT and COACHING HORSES, all in the pink of condition and the right ages. The heavy portion are by one of the best draught stallions in the district, out of heavy mares, and the lighter sorts are by a high-class coaching sire out of blood mares.

THE CO-OPERATIVE WOOL AND PRODUCE CO., Ltd., will Sell on MONDAY Next, 8th inst., 1600 Bales, at the Wool Saleroom Exchange, Bridge-street.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY,
at the Rooms, at 3 p.m.,
Household Furniture and Effects, Bedroom, Drawing-room, Dining-room, and Kitchen Furniture, Crockery, Ornaments, &c.
Evans and Co., Auctioneers, Newtown Markets, Newtown.

ABSOLUTE UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE.
By Order of the Mortgagee.
On the Premises of the CITY BOX FACTORY, Nos. 95 to 97 GOULBURN-STREET, near Castlereagh-street.
On THURSDAY NEXT, NOVEMBER 11, at 11 a.m.

JAMES COWAN, MACHINERY AUCTIONEER, 286 Pitt-street, has been favoured with instructions to sell the whole of the above PLANT, STOCK, and MACHINERY in lots to suit purchasers, comprising
8-h.p. TANGYE VERTICAL ENGINE and BOILER, G. B. RODGERS'S 20 x 6 PANEL PLANER, SAWBENCH, SHAFTING, PULLEYS, LARGE STOCK of TIMBER, HORSE, VAN, and Harness, &c., &c. TERMS, CASH.

AUCTION SALE, MONDAY NEXT, NOV. 8, at 3 p.m.
By Order of the Mortgagee.
On the Premises, No. 14 Cooper-street, SURRY HILLS.
FURNITURE and Effects contained in 6-roomed House.

JAMES COWAN (286 Pitt-street) will conduct the above Sale. TERMS, CASH. NO RESERVE.

AUCTIONEERS' SPECIAL NOTICE
AT BROOK and CO.'S MART,
148 ELIZABETH-STREET,
near Liverpool-street.
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
of
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.
EVERY TUESDAY and FRIDAY,
at 11 a.m.

N.B.
In consequence of TUESDAY, the 9th instant, being a PUBLIC HOLIDAY, the Mart will be CLOSED.
The NEXT SALE will therefore be held on WEDNESDAY, the 10th instant.
Full particulars on Morning of Sale.

TO SPECULATORS, PRODUCE MERCHANTS, WOOD and COAL MERCHANTS, and Others.
IMPORTANT and UNRESERVED SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
on MONDAY AFTERNOON, Nov. 8, at 2.30 o'clock, on the Premises, 85 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, Redfern, corner of CASTLEREAGH and REDFERN STREETS.

The Business at the above address will be submitted to PUBLIC AUCTION as a Going Concern, including—
UPSTANDING DRAUGHT HORSE, Spring Van, and Harness; TWO SPRING VANS; TWO PLATFORM SCALES (AVERY'S), weighing 5 and 8 cwt., and set in splendid order. The Stock comprises 20 tons Wood, 10 tons Coals, 5 tons Coke; fine Stock of Corn, Oats, Chaff, Condition Meals, &c.

This is an exceptional chance for an energetic man to secure a bona-fide business at a small cost, present owner retiring on account of ill health.

DALWOOD and CO. have received instructions from the proprietor to sell as above,
WITHOUT RESERVE.

PARTIES FURNISHING, FURNITURE DEALERS, and Others.
THIS DAY, SATURDAY, Nov. 6, at 10.30 o'clock at the ROOMS, 115 BATHURST-STREET,
UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE
of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
comprising
5 4ft. 6in. H. T. BEDSTEADS, Wire and Top Mattresses
12 3ft. 6in. H. T. and FRENCH BEDSTEADS, complete
10 3ft. COMBINATIONS CHESTS OF DRAWERS
8 LARGE-SIZE COMBINATIONS
20 SIDEBOARDS, in sizes from 3ft. 6in. to 6ft.
10 BEDROOM SUITES, in Stained Walnut and Pine
8 NEW PINE KITCHEN SAFES
4 KITCHEN DRESSERS. Pairs of Pine Toilets
SETS OF TOILET WARE, KITCHEN, and CULINARY UTENSILS, &c., &c., &c.

FURNITURE BUYERS and the trade should not miss this Important Sale. The above lines must go. Without Reserve.

SEVERAL FIRST-CLASS FUEL STOVES and GAS STOVES.

DALWOOD and CO., will sell as above, at 10.30 SHARP, WITHOUT RESERVE.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY,
at 2.30 o'clock.
At No. 3 FERRY-ROAD, GLEBE.

J. BROWN and CO. will sell by auction as above, Without Reserve,
A NICE CLEAN LOT of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Appointments.
DUCHESS PAIRS, BEDSTEADS and BEDDING, CARPETS, ORNAMENTS, Glass, China, CHEST DRAWERS, Dresser, Rattan and Austrian Chairs, Whatnot
SIDEBOARD, Curtains and Blinds, Oddfellow Plants, Hat Stand, and most Requisites for Furnishing.
Also Large ROCKING HORSE.

MONDAY, 8th NOVEMBER,
AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.
IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION,
at
No. 60 BAYSWATER-ROAD,
under instructions from
Miss IRVING,
in consequence of her
PROJECTED DEPARTURE FOR EUROPE.
THE COMPLETE FURNITURE and EFFECTS of
A WELL-APPOINTED RESIDENCE.
Glass, China, and Electroplate.
OAK HALL FURNITURE.
DINING-ROOM FURNITURE,
for medium-sized room, of superior quality.
DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE,
in good taste, including
RATTAN and PITH CHAIRS,
new designs, with Art Cushions and Drapes.
BRUSSELS CARPET,
with Border, Aesthetic Colourings and Design.
VERY VALUABLE PIANOFORTE,
by
CARL MAND, Coblenz.
A Superb Instrument, specially imported, and pronounced by the musical profession to be perfect in all the qualities of tone, touch, and resonance.
The FURNITURE and APPOINTMENTS of SEVERAL BEDROOMS.
Very Superior HALF-TESTER BEDSTEADS, Black and Brass, Double and Single, with Woven Wire Mattresses and extra quality Bedding, complete.
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY EFFECTS.
EUREKA GAS STOVE,
medium size, with enamelled top and sides, almost new, &c., &c.

The FURNITURE and APPOINTMENTS were supplied by Messrs. DAVID JONES and CO., and are equal to new.

NO RESERVE WHATEVER.

JAMES R. LAWSON (LAWSON and SMITH) has been favoured with instructions from Miss IRVING to conduct the Important Sale by Auction at her Residence, as above, on
MONDAY, 8th NOVEMBER,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

** ON VIEW PRIOR TO SALE on Monday Morning.
** CABLE TRAM stops at the Residence.

IMPORTANT ART NOTICE.
Mr. E. W. CHRISTMAS'S
valuable Collection of
OIL PAINTINGS.
TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION
at
THE EQUITABLE-BUILDINGS
(GROUND FLOOR), GEORGE-STREET,
on
MONDAY AFTERNOON,
8th of NOVEMBER.
COMMENCING AT 3 O'CLOCK PROMPT.

THESE VALUABLE and HIGHLY INTERESTING PAINTINGS have been on exhibition at the Spacious Ground-floor Rooms of THE EQUITABLE BUILDINGS for some days past.

THE COLLECTION
embraces over 50 PICTURES of NEW ZEALAND and AUSTRALIAN SCENERY, among which will be found Paintings of the Magnificent and most Beautiful Spots on the Tourist Route through New Zealand, "The Hot and Cold Lakes," "Mountain and River," "Fiordland," "Gorge," and "Landscape," and other scenes of equal interest.

** The Trustees of the NATIONAL GALLERY, BRISBANE, have secured several of Mr. E. W. CHRISTMAS'S Works.

** THE PICTURES to be sold on MONDAY NEXT will go to the highest bidders (with the exception of the Three Large Canvases).

JAMES R. LAWSON (LAWSON and SMITH) has been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at
THE EQUITABLE BUILDING
(LARGE GROUND FLOOR ROOM),
GEORGE-STREET,
on
MONDAY, 8th NOVEMBER,
AT 3 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON,
Mr. E. W. CHRISTMAS'S
VALUABLE COLLECTION OF OIL PAINTINGS.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
RANDWICK.
THURSDAY, 11th NOVEMBER, at 11 a.m.
IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION
at
SPRINGBANK,
ALLISON-ROAD, RANDWICK.
Under instructions from
ERNEST WUNDERLICH, Esq.,
in consequence of the
FAMILY LEAVING FOR ENGLAND.
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
VALUABLE KAPS PIANOFORTE,
Semi-grand, specially imported, a remarkably fine-toned instrument.

To MUSICAL PROFESSION, AMATEURS, the CLERGY, and OTHERS.
SMALL PIPE ORGAN,
SUITABLE for CHURCH, CHAPEL, or CHAMBER.
Specification as under:—
Open diapason (metal), CC to E (53 notes)
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Principal (metal), C to E (41 notes)
Flute (wood), C to E (41 notes).
PEDALS COUPLED TO MANUAL.
Foot or Hand Blower.
Highly-decorated Case.

JAMES R. LAWSON
(LAWSON and SMITH)
has been favoured with instructions from ERNEST WUNDERLICH, Esq., to conduct the important sale by auction, at his residence, as above.

** CATALOGUES can be obtained from the AUCTIONEERS, 128-130 PITT-STREET, or will be posted on application.

C. W. MADDOCK and CO.
have pleasure in announcing that they continue to CONDUCT SALES of any magnitude.
VALUATIONS made for PROBATE.
HOUSEHOLD SALES.
ADVANCES against SALES.
MACHINERY and FACTORY PLANT a Speciality.
NEW ROOMS—121 CLARENCE-STREET.
Telephone, 2294.

MONDAY, 8th NOVEMBER,
at 11 Sharp.
Counters, Partitions, Desks, Tills, Copy Presses, Rail Iron, Shutters, Bedsteads, Bedroom Furniture, Drawing-room Suites, Wardrobes, Toilets, &c. &c.
ENTIRELY WITHOUT RESERVE.

C. W. MADDOCK and CO.
have received instructions from the AUSTRALIAN JOINT STOCK BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED, to offer the above for ABSOLUTE UNRESERVED SALE,
on
MONDAY NEXT, at 11.
TERMS, CASH.
NEW ROOMS, 121 CLARENCE-STREET.
Telephone, 2294.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Newtown Station, THIS DAY, at 7 o'clock, Wood, &c.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 8 o'clock, Wood, &c.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Redfern Station, THIS DAY, at 9.15,
Hay, straw, chaff, maize, pumpkins, potatoes,
DENT and PERRY, Auctioneers, 351 Sussex-street.

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Auction Sales.

SALES BY AUCTION
AT THE MART, 199 PITT-STREET,
by
HENRY HARRIS and COMPANY,
LATE
HARRIS and ACKMAN,
as under:—

WEDNESDAY, 10th OCTOBER,
at 11 a.m.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE IMPORTERS.
INVOICE of D.B. and B.L. GUNS
10 cases REVOLVERS
... bales TWINES, each 5lb.
... Mosley's TABLE CUTLERY
INVOICE of KEROLIERS, GAS CHANDELIERS, &c.
... BROWN PAPER
... CROWN HORSE NAILS, assorted sizes
... SHOVELS
... JAPANESE PICNIC BASKETS
INVOICE of RATTAN CHAIRS, LOUNGES, CLOTHES BASKETS, &c.
... SUPERIOR BRUSHWARE
... FLAX YARN
SMALL STOCK comprising Wolsey's Kalsomine, Scales, Paper, Window Blinds, Washstand screens, Painter's Lamps, Plate Polishing Powder, Silversmith's Soap, Spring Lamp Burners, Ladies' Belts, Scoring Books, &c.
and Other Lines in
GENERAL HARDWARE, IRONMONGERY, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, &c., &c.

THURSDAY, 11th NOVEMBER,
at 11 a.m.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE IMPORTERS.
... bags FINE SALT
... CONDENSED MILK
... EVAPORATED PEACHES and APRICOTS
... HAMS
... MALT
... WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE, pints and ½ pints
... DELHI RELISH
... OYSTERS
... HARICOT BEANS
... TOMATO CHUTNEY, pints and quarts
... PRESERVED SUGAR CORN
... PRESERVED PEACHES
... MAGIC SOAP
... TABLE VINEGAR
... DATES
... MUSTARD PICKLES
... ASSORTED JAMS,
and other Lines in
GENERAL GROCERIES, OILMEN'S STORES, &c., WINES, SPIRITS, BEERS, &c.
Also,
A TRIAL CONSIGNMENT
of
TASMANIAN FRUIT PULP,
Apple, Plum, Orleans Plum, Prune Plum, &c., &c.

To Close Accounts.
... cases GORDON'S SPECIAL WHISKY.
Also,
On account of whom it may concern.
With all faults, if any,
1 Half-chests and 1 Chest CEYLON TEA.
SYD in oblong, ex s.s. Clitus.
... Packages NEW SEASON'S INDIAN TEAS.

FRIDAY, 12th NOVEMBER, at
11 A.M.

FOR UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.
EXTENSIVE CONSIGNMENTS OF JAPANESE GOODS.
UNDER INSTRUCTIONS from M. M. OGURA,
comprising
HAND-PAINTED and GOLD-EMBROIDERED SILK TABLE COVERS
RICHLY EMBROIDERED SILK TABLE COVERS IN UNIQUE DESIGNS
VERY RICH SILK-EMBROIDERED PILLOW and TABLE COVERS
DITTO DITTO MANTLE DRAPES
... SILK DRESS MATERIALS, HANDSOMELY EMBROIDERED
... SILK OPERA HEAD WRAPS
HAND-PAINTED and GOLD-EMBD. SILK CUSHION COVERS
... EMBD. and SILK-EMBD. BEDCOVERS
... VELVET PRINTED TABLE COVERS
HAND-PAINTED and GOLD-EMBROIDERED CHAIR COVERS
... SILK CHAIR COVERS
... STRIPED and FIGURED DRESS SILKS
HAND-PAINTED SILK LAMP SHADES
... PAINTED CRAPES and FANCY DRAPERY
... White Silk Handkerchiefs, various sizes.
Also, with All Faults,
... Gold-printed Fancy Furnishings.

And on Account of Other Consignees,
LARGE ASSORTMENT of JAPANESE MANUFACTURES, Basket and Bamboo Ware, Blinds, &c., &c.

CATALOGUES obtainable at the Rooms or Posted on application.

HENRY HARRIS and COMPANY (Late HARRIS and ACKMAN) will hold the above SALES BY AUCTION at the Mart, PITT-STREET, on the dates above mentioned, commencing each day at 11 o'clock.

... SPECIAL NOTICE.
In consequence of TUESDAY NEXT being a PUBLIC HOLIDAY, our GROCERY SALE usually held on that day will be held on THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11th, at 11 a.m.
HENRY HARRIS and COMPANY (late Harris and Ackman), 199 Pitt-street.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
POTTS POINT.
THURSDAY, 18th NOVEMBER, at 11 a.m.
HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION.
Under instruction from THE TRUSTEES.
At the late Residence of Mrs. ALFRED E. ISAACS, who is relinquishing housekeeping,
... MACLEAY-STREET, POTTS POINT.
The Whole of the COSTLY and SUPERB HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
CHOICE CHINA and GLASSWARE
STERLING SILVER and ELECTROPLATED WARE
WALNUT PIANOFORTE, &c., &c.

Full particulars will be duly advertised, and DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUES prepared, which will be obtainable at the offices of the Auctioneers, or posted on application.

HENRY HARRIS and COMPANY (late HARRIS and ACKMAN) have been favoured with instructions to conduct the above important Sale by Auction at ... MACLEAY-STREET, POTTS POINT, on THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18th, at 11 a.m.

THIS DAY, November 6, at 10.30 a.m.
At the CENTRAL AUCTION ROOMS, 274 PITT-ST.
UNDER BILL OF SALE.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
... PIANOS, Collard, Cubby, and Ezold; Harmonium, ... Drawing-room Suites, Sideboards, Whatnots, Overmantels, Pictures, Dining Tables, Bookcase, American Chairs, Couches, Double and Single BEDSTEADS, W. Ms. and Bedding, Bedroom Suites, Combination and other Chests Drawers, Pairs Toilets, Wardrobes, Washstands and Ware, Chiffoniers, Dressers, Safes, Oilcloth, Toilet and Kitchen Tables, Brass Ornaments, Tomahawks, Milk Dishes, Tinware, Kitchen and Laundry Utensils, Lot of Sundries.
... JENKINS will sell as above, THIS MORNING.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
MONDAY NEXT, November 8, at 11 o'clock.
At the Rooms, 345a Pitt-street, near Market-street.
Under Instructions from the Mortgagees.
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, removed by virtue of Bill of Sale, comprising
SUBSTANTIAL DINING, DRAWING, and BEDROOM SUITES, in WALNUT and BIRCH.
ELEGANT OVERMANTELS, in Solid Walnut, B.E.
Pianofortes, Carpets, Linoleums
Bedsteads 4ft. 6, 3ft. 10, and 3ft. Bedsteads and Bedding.
A Very Superior Quantity of Bed and Table Linen.
Glass, China, Crockery Ware, Cutlery.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 345a Pitt-street, as above.
WITHOUT THE LEAST RESERVE.
The above.
ON VIEW THIS DAY AND PRIOR TO SALE.

UNREDEEMED PLEDGES.
JOHN P. LISTER will Sell by Auction, at his Rooms, 345a Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 11th November, the unredeemed Pledges pawned with A. M'Hugh, 26 Hart-street, Roselle, as under:—
1897.—February—14th, dia ring, coat, boots, dress piece; ... sewing machine. March—4th, s h l watch 553801; 8th, ... suggest pin; 11th, suit clothes; 15th, mackintosh. April—4th, s h k watch 11808; 17th, h s machine; ... gift, sundries. May—4th, dress 2, alberts, h sunshade, h W watch 4064861, s h l watch 7498018, Bible, two ...; 8th, 3 rings, sundries, o f s l watch 1734, quilt, ...; 4th, suit clothes, s h l watch 53381, s albert; 12th, clothes, g albert; 14th, sundries, coat; 18th, violin, ...; 21st, dress piece. June—1st, suit ..., o f s watch 11703, g albert; 3rd, dress; 4th, two ...; 11th, quilt, two rings, s h l watch 52808; 23rd, suit ...; 26th, suit clothes; 29th, dress piece, s h W watch 4796671. July—1st, suit clothes; 5th, ...; 7th, quilt, sheets; 8th, dress; 19th, dress; 24th clothes; 30th, s h l watch 192381, quilt t cover, coat; o f s l watch 5707; 28th, s h l watch 6309, suit clothes; g h l watch 9661, banjo case, brooch, g chain. August ...gift, sundries, coat, vest; 3rd, coat, vest, shirt, g ...; ..., s h l watch 39981, dia ring, s h W watch 2979653, a large number of pledges five shillings and under. Also, pledges previously advertised will be sold without respect to renewals or interest paid.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.—To Jewellers, Pawnbrokers, Dealers, and Others.—SATURDAY, Nov. 13, at 10 o'clock, under instructions from E. FOSBERY, Esq., Inspector-General of Police, the whole of the Unclaimed Property (unless previously claimed) now in possession of the police will be sold by Public Auction at the Central Police Court, Liverpool-street.
Under section 30 Police Regulation Act, 25 Vic., No. 16.
One Gold Watch, 46 Silver Watches, 4 Gold and 9 Silver Chains, 11 Metal and Waterbury Watches, 5 Gold Pendants, ... Gold Breast Pins, 32 gent.'s and Ladies' Gold Rings, ... Lockets, Brooches, Necklets, &c., a quantity of Electroplated Ware, 650 Cigars, 53 Bottles Wine, 1 doz. ..., lot of Harness, Clothing, Umbrellas, &c., &c., &c., as per list in N.S.W. Government Gazette, October 29, ...

JOHN P. LISTER has received instructions from E. Fosbery, Esq., Inspector-General of Police, to sell by auction at the Central Police Court, Liverpool-street, on SATURDAY Next, November 13, at 10 o'clock, sharp, the unclaimed Goods as above. Terms, Cash.

...LAND ESTATE, RYDE, at the Railway Station. SALE, on the Ground, THIS DAY, at 3 ...
BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Ltd.

WALTER BRADLEY AND CO.,
324 GEORGE-STREET,
FURNITURE and FINE ART AUCTIONEERS.
VALUATIONS FOR PROBATE.
INVENTORIES PREPARED.
CASH ADVANCES against Goods for Auction Sale.
SALE ROOMS and OFFICES, 324 GEORGE-STREET.
TELEPHONE, 1009.

WEDNESDAY,
10th NOVEMBER, at 11 A.M.
MOST IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION,
at the residence of
Dr. M. J. CLUNE,
16 COLLEGE-STREET, HYDE PARK.
The whole of his
VERY VALUABLE FURNITURE
and
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS,
comprising
MASSIVE DINING-ROOM FURNITURE
in American Walnut,
including
MASSIVE SIDEBOARD IN SOLID WALNUT, conveniently constructed with drawers, cupboards, cellarette, &c. The back fitted with bevelled edge mirrors, and cupboards enclosed by plate-glass doors
HANDSOME WALNUT OVERMANTEL en suite
VERY SUPERIOR DINING-ROOM SUITE, consisting of couch, 2 easy chairs, and 6 dining chairs, upholstered in best morocco leather; the frames in walnut tastefully carved
FINE OLD MAHOGANY BOOKCASE, fitted with moveable shelves, enclosed by plate-glass doors, with long drawer at base
Two very Old Engravings

SURGERY.
LARGE REVOLVING BOOKCASE, in ash and walnut
VERY OLD MAHOGANY CORNER CABINET
COMBINATION LAVATORY WASHSTAND
SPLENDID BOOKCASE, IN SOLID MAHOGANY, size 8ft. 6in., constructed with numerous shelves, enclosed with plate-glass doors, the under part arranged with drawers and cupboards
COMBINATION CHEST OF DRAWERS AND BOOKCASE, in solid walnut. The upper part is arranged with book shelves, and a cupboard with bevelled edge mirror door, the under part fitted with five drawers.
OPERATING COUCH, upholstered in leather.

VALUABLE MARBLE CLOCKS.
CHOICE PICTURES and ORNAMENTS.

DRAWING-ROOM.
ROYAL AXMINSTER BORDERED CARPET, in splendid condition; size about 18 x 12
SUPERB CABINET IN WALNUT, charmingly designed and conveniently arranged with cupboards and side shelves for china and bric-a-brac, the back fitted with bevelled edge mirrors
SUPERIOR SUITE IN WALNUT, consisting of couch, 2 easy chairs, and 6 occasional chairs, upholstered in canary-coloured silk.
MAGNIFICENT BOUDOIR GRAND PIANO by the renowned maker, "Ronisch."
*** A superb instrument in walnut case, perfect in tone, touch, and resonance.
Also,
UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTE in Rosewood Case, by Erard. Suitable for school use.

MORNING ROOM.
WALNUT PIER GLASS, richly carved
REVOLVING BOOKCASE, in walnut
HANDSOME SIDEBOARD in SOLID WALNUT, size 5ft., most conveniently designed, with lofty back, fitted with bevelled edge mirrors, the under part arranged with drawers, cupboards, and cellarette
WALNUT LAVATORY WASHSTAND.

VERY SUPERIOR BEDROOM APPOINTMENTS,
including
BEACONSFIELD BEDROOM SUITE, in AMERICAN WALNUT, consisting of handsome wardrobe, 4ft. 6in., fitted bevelled edge mirror door, toilet table, washstand, pedestal, towel rail, and one chair
SUPERIOR WARDROBE, in SATIN WOOD, size 7ft., arranged with two dress compartments and nests of drawers, enclosed by large plate-glass door
Pair Duchesse Toilet Tables, in Walnut.
LARGE CHESTS OF DRAWERS, Toilet Pairs, Linen Presses, &c.
MASSIVE BLACK and BRASS BEDSTEADS, fitted with best quality bedding, complete.
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY UTENSILS,
Ice Chest, Patent Mangles,
&c., &c.

*** DESCRIPTIVE BOOK CATALOGUES obtainable at the offices of the Auctioneers, 324 George-street, or will be posted on application.

ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE.

WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have been favoured with instructions from Dr. M. J. CLUNE to dispose of his VALUABLE FURNITURE and Household Effects, at his residence, as above, on
WEDNESDAY, 10th NOVEMBER, at 11 a.m.
POSITIVELY NO RESERVE.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
SALE OF
Dr. M. J. CLUNE'S
VALUABLE LIBRARY
of
MEDICAL AND OTHER WORKS.

MESSRS. WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have the pleasure to announce that they have received instructions from Dr. CLUNE to dispose of his Library of rare Works
at their
SPACIOUS AUCTION ROOMS,
324 GEORGE-STREET,
on
WEDNESDAY, 17th NOVEMBER,
at 3 O'CLOCK p.m.
*** Full particulars later.

RANDWICK.
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27th, 3 P.M.
LAND SALE, ON THE GROUND.
CHOICE ALLOTMENTS.
6 HALF-ACRE BLOCKS,
DUDLEY, MELODY, and PEROUSE STREETS.
THESE VILLA SITES are close to the Tram, and are situated in splendid positions, commanding uninterrupted views of
COOGEE AND BOTANY.
TITLE, TORRENS.
TERMS:
25 PER CENT. DEPOSIT, balance 3 YEARS at 5 PER CENT.
WALTER BRADLEY and CO.,
Auctioneers, 324 George-street.

PRINTING MACHINERY, PRESSES, GUILLOTINE, LITHO PRESS, HYDRAULIC PRESS, BINDERS' and PHOTOGRAPHIC MATERIALS, LARGE SAFE, BROKEN CASTINGS, and SUNDRIES.

WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have received instructions from the Hon. the COLONIAL TREASURER to sell the above on
THURSDAY, 11th NOVEMBER, at 11 a.m.,
at the STORE, next
M'MAHON'S BOND, CIRCULAR QUAY.
CATALOGUES may be obtained from the Auctioneers, 324 George-street.
TERMS, CASH.

IMPORTANT.
TO DRAPERS, STOREKEEPERS, FANCY GOODS BUYERS, HAWKERS,
and the Trade Generally.
LARGE AND CLEARING AUCTION SALES.
Under instructions from the Importer, who is clearing the whole of his Sydney Stock of
DRAPERY and FANCY GOODS.
SPECIAL AUCTION SALES WEDNESDAY NEXT, NOVEMBER 10th
(the day after Public Holiday),
also
FRIDAY NEXT, NOVEMBER 12th.

JAMES RODD and CO. have received instructions from the Importer to sell by auction, in their Rooms, 7 Wynyard-street, on the abovementioned dates,
The Whole of his Sydney Open Stock of Drapery and Fancy Goods.
The Stock consists of
Prints, Galateas, Dress Goods, Calicoes, Sheetings, Quilts, Men's, Women's, and Children's Hosiery, Laces, Aprons, Underclothing, Cashmeres, Serges, Tweeds, White and Coloured Mole Trousers, Tweed Trousers, Worsted and Tweed Suits, Shirts, Hats, Mercery, &c., &c.
GENERAL FANCY GOODS.
Toys, Dolls, Platedware, Cutlery, Stationery, Books, &c., &c.
The Auctioneers draw special attention to this important sale. The Goods are clean, fresh, and up to date in every way. Toys and Fancy Goods have been specially imported for this Christmas trade. Goods will be sold in lots to suit purchasers. Terms may be arranged at Sale.
Also, in addition to the above,
under instructions from Country Storekeeper,
Small General Stock Drapery and Clothing.
WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST RESERVE.
ORDER OF SALE.
WEDNESDAY Next, November 10, Drapery, Clothing, &c.
FRIDAY Next, November 12, Toys, Fancy Goods, Stationery, &c.
Each day at 11 o'clock,
in the Rooms, 7 Wynyard-street.

TO GROCERS, DEALERS, and OTHERS.
At 22 UNION-STREET, PYRMONT,
on MONDAY NEXT, 8th INSTANT, at 11 o'clock.
A NICE LITTLE STOCK of
GENERAL GROCERIES, CONFECTIONERY, LOLLY GLASSES, SCALES and WEIGHTS, &c.

ALFRED PERRY will sell by AUCTION, as above.
WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

SHARES.
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12, at 11.15 a.m.
IN THE ROOMS, 267 GEORGE-STREET.
By order of W. H. PALMER, Esq., Official Assignee.

Estate JOHN GILCHRIST.	800 Shares in the New Mount Hope Copper-mining Co., Ltd. 5 Shares Watson's Bay and South Shore Steam Ferry Co., Ltd.	
Estate DONALD MANSON.	50 Shares Grand Lodge of N.S.W. Masonic Hall Co., Ltd., paid up to 20s each.	
Estate J. S. CROAKER.	100 Shares in the United Australian Mutual Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	

C. F. W. LLOYD and CO., Auctioneers, 267 George-street.

BOOTS and SHOES. BOOTS and SHOES.
TO THE RETAIL BOOT TRADE, COUNTRY BUYERS, DEALERS, and OTHERS.
Unreserved Sale by Auction,
AT THE ROOMS, 12 BARRACK-STREET,
on WEDNESDAY NEXT, NOVEMBER 10,
at 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.
MEN'S WOMEN'S, and CHILDREN'S BOOTS and SHOES.
Girls' and Women's Pat. and Glace Bals., assorted, 3-7
Boys' and Youths' Golosh Bals., 7-10, 11-1
Girls' Patent Ankle-straps, 4-6, 7-10, 11-1
Men's Calf Tan and Hide Bals., assorted
Women's Glace E.S. seam to toe and vamps, 3-7
Ditto ditto Button and Lace Shoes, 3-7
Men's Calf Bals. and Shoes, 5-10
Ditto Colonial Bluchers and Bals.
Infants' and Children's Goods, assorted.
Also,
Large Assortment Colonial Manufacture, &c., &c.

A. TRAVERSI and CO. will sell the above, at their Rooms, 12 Barrack-street, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, NOVEMBER 10, at 11 o'clock.

To the Retail Ironmongery Trade, Country Buyers, Dealers, and Others.
AT THE ROOMS, 12 BARRACK-STREET,
on THURSDAY NEXT, NOVEMBER 11,
at 11 o'clock sharp.
ON ACCOUNT OF THOSE CONCERNED.
20 CASES ENAMELLED HOLLOWARE,
Plain and Decorated,
in
Saucepans, Stewpans, Kettles, Jugs, Teapots, Coffee Pots, Meat Dishes, Buckets, Colanders, Baking Pans, Milk Buckets, Toilet Sets, Frypans, Gridirons, Boilers, Fish Kettles, Plates, Cups and Saucers, Mugs, Spoons, &c., &c.
Also,
5 CASES CUTLERY AND E.P. WARE.
Table Knives and Forks, Dessert Knives, Tea and Coffee Sets, Carvers in Cases, Adelaide Corkscrews, Mappin Razors, Cruets, &c., &c.

A. TRAVERSI and CO. will sell the above at their Rooms, 12 Barrack-street, on THURSDAY Next, November 11, at 11 o'clock sharp.

WITHOUT RESERVE.
To the Furnishing Trade, Country Buyers, and Others.
For Unreserved Sale by Auction.
AT THE ROOMS, 12 BARRACK-STREET,
on
FRIDAY NEXT, NOVEMBER 12,
AT 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.
LARGE ASSORTMENT COLONIAL FURNITURE,
comprising
WALNUT, CEDAR, and PINE BEDROOM SUITES, PAIRS WALNUT and CEDAR TOILETS, Marble Top, WALNUT and CEDAR WARDROBES, B.P. Doors, CEDAR and WALNUT SIDEBOARDS, Bevelled P.G. Backs, fitted with Drawers, Cellarettes, &c.
TOILET TABLES, KITCHEN TABLES, CHIFFONIERS,
SAFES, DRESSERS, DESKS, &c.
Also,
BLEACHED RATTAN and CANE FURNITURE, OVERMANTELS,
&c., &c.

A. TRAVERSI and CO. will sell the above, at their Rooms, 12 Barrack-street, on FRIDAY Next, November 12, at 11 o'clock sharp.

To MINING SPECULATORS and OTHERS.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION,
at the ROOMS, 12 BARRACK-STREET,
on
MONDAY WEEK NEXT, NOVEMBER 15,
at 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.
SHARES in the RAINBOW and MOUNTAIN MAID EXTENSION GOLD-MINING COMPANY, No Liability.
Forfeited for Non-payment of Fourth Call.
Nos. 1001 to 2000, 3101 to 3200, 5801 to 6200, 7701 to 7900, 9801 to 10400, 17601 to 18000, 18101 to 18200, 20001 to 20100, 27451 to 27500, 37101 to 37500, 42101 to 42400, 45001 to 45600.
Both and all numbers inclusive.

A. TRAVERSI and CO. will sell the above at their Rooms, 12 Barrack-street, on MONDAY Week, November 15, at 11 o'clock.

TUESDAY, 16th NOVEMBER.
At the City Mart, 84 Pitt-street,
At 11 O'CLOCK.
THE CHILIAN SHIP ATACAMA,
1224 Tons Register,
with all Gear and Belongings, as she now lies at anchor below Garden Island,
where she must be inspected.
On account of whom it may concern.
BY ORDER OF C. A. FALSTEDT, Esq., CONSUL-GENERAL AD INTERIM OF CHILI.

FRASER, UTHER, and CO. will sell by auction, as above,
The Chilian Ship ATACAMA, with all Gear, &c.
INVENTORY AT ROOMS.
Particulars at Sale.

M. SYMONDS and CO.,
506 and 508 GEORGE-STREET
and 51 CASTLEREAGH-STREET,
have pleasure in announcing that
THEY HAVE SECURED THOSE SPACIOUS PREMISES
adjoining
THE SCHOOL OF ARTS, PITT-STREET,
and will open same in the course
OF A FEW DAYS AS
AUCTION and COMMISSION ROOMS.
REGULAR SALES will be held and VENDORS INTERESTS specially attended to.
ADVANCES made against goods for UNRESERVED SALE.
M. SYMONDS and CO.

PRIVATE SALEROOMS.	51 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, near Hotel Australia. 506 and 508 GEORGE-STREET, upstairs, opp. New Markets.
AUCTION and COMMISSION ROOMS.	275 PITT-STREET, next SCHOOL OF ARTS.

NORTH SYDNEY.
COMPACT INVESTMENT, MOUNT-STREET.
STONE BUILDING divided into two SHOPS and Dwelling. The SHOPS are occupied by JEWELLER and BUTCHER. The dwelling contains in main building 6 rooms, dining-room and kitchen, and two bedrooms over them, cellars with patent elevators, stables, buggy-house, &c. Connected with the sewer. Land, 30 x 90, with right of way 12ft. wide from High-street. Annual rentals, £158 12s. Title, Torrens.
Also,
BLOCK of LAND having a frontage 54ft. to ——street, off Mount-street, by a depth of 80ft. along Hill-street, on which are erected stables, cart shed, &c.

HUGH DUFF and CO. have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, AT THEIR ROOMS, 109 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 25th NOVEMBER, at 11.30, as above.

WILLOUGHBY, CHATSWOOD
Right at ELECTRIC TRAM TERMINUS
(now being constructed).
CLEARANCE SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION,
on the Ground, at an Early Date,
ALLEYNE ESTATE.
22 CHOICE RESIDENTIAL SITES, fronting VICTORIA-AVENUE, High-street, Alleyne and Gibbes street.
Easy terms. HUGH DUFF and CO.,
Auctioneers, 109 Pitt-street.

THURSDAY, 2nd DECEMBER, 1897.
GOULBURN, NEW SOUTH WALES,
probably the
FEDERAL CITY OF THE COLONIES.
The Magnificent
SUBURBAN, PASTORAL, and AGRICULTURAL ESTATE, known as
GUNDARY,
containing
10,000 ACRES
of Splendid FREEHOLD LAND,
Situated 2 miles from the City of Goulburn, formerly the property of the late Honourable William Bradley, in whose family it remained for upwards of 50 years.
THE FINEST PASTORAL PROPERTY IN THE SOUTH,
IN ONE BLOCK,
subdivided into nine paddocks, ranging in size from 487 acres to 1630 acres, all
SHEEP PROOF and SECURELY FENCED,
Watered by the Gundary Creek and Dams, and
CAPABLE OF DEPASTURING 15,000 SHEEP.
From long practical knowledge of the wonderful fattening properties of Gundary the Auctioneers aver that there is no better fattening sheep property in the colony.

FINLAY and CO., Goulburn, New South Wales, have received instructions from the Proprietors in Victoria to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Belmore-square, on
THURSDAY, 2nd DECEMBER,
at 11 o'clock,
the Splendid
PASTORAL and AGRICULTURAL PROPERTY
known as
GUNDARY,
Comprising an area of 10,000 Acres Freehold, Subdivided into 9 paddocks, all sheep proof; two miles from the City, and which in course of time will be blended into and form part of the suburbs of the city.
THE COUNTRY IS OPEN UNDULATING PLAINS, Interspersed with beltings of Timber and watered by the Gundary Creek, and adjoins the well-known Springfield Property (Mr. L. Faithfull's), also Tirranna; and in touch with all the old family estates.
Gundary is only 5 hours' travelling distance to Flemington Saleyards; this in comparison with Bourke or Hay,
IN RAILWAY FREIGHT ALONE,
means a saving of
£558 15s.,
on 10,000 sheep, and which sum represents a capital value of £11,000, without considering the loss of weight and quality from long train-age; to say nothing of the quality, quantity, and value of the wool produced.
THE ADVANTAGES of possessing a VALUABLE FREEHOLD like GUNDARY, "in contrast with outside station property," could readily be multiplied, but the following may be accepted as the salient features:—
Proximity to market—Five hours to Sydney
In touch with City of Goulburn, 13,000 inhabitants—Great prospective value in the near future
Preservation of condition of stock in transit
Less than half the freight of out-back stations—An income in itself
The finest climate in the world for wool-growing
The soundest and best sheep-country in the colony
Splendid English climate
Water obtainable anywhere on the plains at a depth of 30ft. (see wells on the property)
And last but not least—Half an hour's drive from Goulburn Saleyards, a splendid market in itself.
THE INTENTION IS ABSOLUTELY TO SELL, and intending purchasers will be shown all over the property.
TERMS OF SALE:
One-third Cash; balance, 1, 2 and 3 years at 5 per cent.
MEMO.—As this property has a special value owing to its proximity to Goulburn and Sydney, we believe financial arrangements could be made in Sydney, if buyers chose, for two-thirds of the amount at 4 per cent. Buyers will no doubt make their own arrangements.
LANSDOWNE HOMESTEAD, originally part of the Bradley Estate, with 38 acres, almost adjoins Gundary, and can be purchased or rented at a very reasonable rate, if purchaser desires.

WEEKLY 2s 6d.—Magic Lanterns, Cameras, Cricketing Goods, Tennis Sets. Howard and Co., Woollahra.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, Ltd.,
AUCTIONEERS and VALUATORS.
SALES EFFECTED BY AUCTION OR PRIVATELY.
PROPERTIES LET.
RENTS and INTERESTS, &c., COLLECTED.
ESTATES MANAGED.
Valuations Made for all Purposes.
The SALEROOM is the LARGEST, BEST LIGHTED and VENTILATED, in the CITY.

ROUSE HILL ORCHARD,
the noted district for fruits, &c.
ORCHARD of 44 acres summer fruits, planted 3 and 5 years ago; six acres cultivation paddock, 47½ acres bush land—in all equalling 57 acres. Brick Cottage of 4 rooms and outhouses, ample good water; splendid chance to conjoin extensive poultry breeding. It faces a Government road, and is partly fenced. Distance is 12 miles from Parramatta or 3 miles from Schofield railway siding.
AUCTION SALE, MONDAY, 8th November,
at PARRAMATTA (John Taylor's Rooms),
by RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited,
(2848) Mr. Taylor acting jointly in the sale.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
CAPITAL INVESTMENT AT PADDINGTON.
CHEMIST'S SHOP and TWO HOUSES, being Nos. 2, 4, and 6 Gurner-street, a few yards off Glenmore-road, a popular locality, easily reached by omnibuses and trams.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 12th November, at 11.30 a.m.
The above, full particulars of which will be published in future advertisement. (2852)

CHEAP LANDS,
just beyond the CITY BOUNDARY and overlooking Wentworth Park.
The balance of the well-known
LYNDHURST COLLEGE ESTATE,
GLEBE,
Viz.:
Section I., Portion of Lot 13, fronting Broughton-street
Section IV., Lots 10 to 13, fronting Darling-street
Section VII., Lots 2 to 6, fronting Darghan-street
Section X., Lots 1 to 5, fronting Darghan-street
Section XIII., Lots 1 to 7 and 11, fronting Bellevue-street
Section XVII., Lots 1, 1½, to 6, fronting Bellevue-street
Section XVIII., Lots 1, 1½ to 10, fronting Bellevue-street.
The frontages of the Allotments range from 14ft. to 35ft., with depths ranging from 88ft. to 90ft., back to lanes.
*** The attention of MANUFACTURERS, IRONFOUNDERS, CARRIERS, and OTHERS is directed to the sale of these lands as affording an opportunity of purchasing suitable land on which to erect business premises.
Plan on View at the rooms and terms at sale.
FOR POSITIVE SALE to CLOSE THE ESTATE.
Auction sale at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 12th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (2842)

PYMBLE.
On the heights of the North Shore Railway, a delightful climate, within easy distance of the city.
A choice BLOCK of LAND, comprising an area of 9 ACRES 2 ROODS 37 PERCHES.
Fronting a road off the telegraph road. A roadway (23 links wide) divides the block into two portions. Situate close to the well-known Orchards of Messrs. Loveday and Robert Pymble.
*** The Land is known as the property of Mr. Daniel Johnson, and comprises one of the best sites in the neighbourhood. Plan on view at the Rooms.
By order of the Mortgagee.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 12th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above Land at Pymble, on the north side of the railway line. (2853)

TOWNSHIP OF KENTHURST,
in the well-known Orchard District of Dural.
A well-known Farm Property, comprising an area of 100 ACRES, having a large frontage to the main road, Parramatta and Windsor, and situate opposite the Public Schools, School of Arts, and Post and Telegraph Office. About 11 acres has been cultivated, and about 700 fruit trees have been planted.
The property is well known as J. Morrissey's farm, and is in close proximity to the improved farms of Messrs. Dalman, Jones, and Edmunds.
By order of the Mortgagee.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 12th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above Property at Kenthurst, in the Dural district. (2862)

IN THE ESTATE OF JESSIE PETERSEN, DECEASED.
LOT 1—SMITH'S FAMILY HOTEL, built of brick (cemented), iron roof, balcony in front, and containing bar, 2 parlours, hall, cellar, 5 bedrooms, 2 attics, dining-room, kitchen with room over, bathroom, shed, &c., erected on lot 1 having 51ft. frontage to
WEST-STREET, PETERSHAM,
by depth of 110ft.
close to Railway Station, Park, &c.
*** IMMEDIATE POSSESSION will be given. GOODWILL, license, bar and gas fittings go with the property.
LOT 2—BLOCK of VACANT LAND abutting on lot 1, and having 30ft. frontage to WENTWORTH-STREET, with a depth of 80ft.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 12th November, at 11 o'clock.
The above.
A. ROFE and SONS are Solicitors of the Estate. (2857)

SURRY HILLS INVESTMENT.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
TERRACE of FOUR HOUSES, Nos. 21 to 27 Bennett-street (between Marshall and Dowling streets, a few yards south of Fitzroy-street), of brick fronts cemented, slate and iron roofs, verandahs and balconies in front, and each containing 5 rooms, kitchen, and washed; sewer connections. The land has 48ft. frontage to Bennett-street, depth 64ft. 11in. on one side and 57ft. 2in. on the other, extending to lane.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 12th November, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above Freehold Investment, close to Moore Park.
Title, Torrens Act. Messrs. MAKINSON and PLUNKETT are Solicitors of Mortgagee. (2858)

TURRAMURRA,
On the North Shore Railway, opposite the road leading in to the station, one minute walk from the latter.
A compact improved PROPERTY, comprising TWO two-story HOUSES and FIVE COTTAGES, situate at the junction of the LANE COVE-ROAD, KISSING POINT-ROAD, and BOYD'S-ROAD. The Buildings are principally of brick (two cottages only are built of weatherboard) on brick foundation, and containing as follows:—
Two two-story Houses, each verandahs front and side, hall, 7 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse.
Five Cottages, each verandah in front, and accommodation ranging from 4 rooms and kitchen to 7 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse.
LAND having about 400ft. to Kissing Point-road, 208ft. to Boyd-street, and 32ft. to Lane Cove-road.
The site is one of the best in the district, commanding most extensive views of the surrounding country.
By order of the Executors, Estate late Mr. J. E. Boyd.
E. F. Stephen, Esq., Pitt-street, Solicitor to the Estate.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 12th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above property, close to the Turramurra Railway Station, the southern side of the line,
ONE OR MORE LOTS. (2839)

By Order of the Mortgagee.
1. BURWOOD.
TWO Semi-detached COTTAGES, fronting the east side of BURWOOD-ROAD, a short distance south of Parramatta-road. They are built of brick (tuckpointed fronts) on brick foundations with porch erections, and containing each hall, 3 rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, and washhouse. Land about 40ft. x 120ft., extending back to a lane. Torrens title.
2. ENFIELD.
A Detached COTTAGE, fronting the east side of COBDEN-STREET, a short distance south of the Liverpool-road. It is built of brick on brick foundation, with verandah front and rear, and containing half hall, 5 rooms, and kitchen, detached cartshed and feed room. Land about 50ft. x 144ft.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 12th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above, known as the Properties of Mrs. Margaret Nicholls. (2854)

CARLTON, ILLAWARRA LINE.
On the north side of railway, about 2 minutes' walk from station.
A Detached Two-story SHOP and DWELLING, known as the Essex Bakery, fronting Mill-street, at the corner of Ethel-street. It is built of brick (cemented) on stone foundation, with balcony front and side, and verandah at rear, and containing Shop, hall, 5 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse, bakehouse, detached weatherboard stable and shed. Land 50ft. x 132ft. Torrens Title. Key with Mr. Hermin, Kogarah.
By order of the Mortgagee.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock.
The above Shop and Dwelling at Carlton. (2860)

GLEBE,
just beyond the City Boundary and close to the tram on the Glebe-road.
A triangular Block of LAND, having frontages of 154ft. to Cottenham-street, and 117ft. to Broughton-lane, depth on the east side of 68ft., on which are erected of brick on stone foundation, Two Houses and a Cottage, comprising Nos. 61, 63, and 65 Cottenham-street, with verandahs in front, and containing each 3 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, &c., the Cottage has 1 room and hall more than houses, and wooden stabling.
By order of the Mortgagee.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th November, at 11 o'clock,
The above Freehold, at the Glebe. Torrens title. (2821)

LYNDHURST COLLEGE ESTATE, GLEBE,
just beyond the city boundary,
via Pyrmont Bridge.
SUNNY BRAE, a two-story House, comprising No. 4 Darling-street, between Denham and Lyndhurst streets. It is built of brick (tuckpointed front) on stone foundation, with verandah and balcony in front, and containing half-hall, 5 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse. Land lot 15, sec. 8, having 16½ft. to Darling-street, depth 98ft. back to Broughton-street.
By Order of the Mortgagee.
Auction Sale at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock.
(2827) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited.

MARRICKVILLE,
Business Centre, four doors from the Hotel Victoria.
A Two-story SHOP and DWELLING, fronting the west side of ILLAWARRA-ROAD, close to the junction of Marrickville-road and the Old Tram Terminus. It is built of brick (cemented) on stone foundation, with balcony in front, and containing shop, 5 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse, gas and city water. Land about 20ft. 2in. by about 184ft.
By order of the Mortgagee.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will Sell by Auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above Property at Marrickville. Key with Mr. Sumpton, stationer, next door. (2829)

MARRICKVILLE.
Fronting the Tram Line, near the Old Terminus.
A Two-story SHOP and DWELLING, fronting the South side of MARRICKVILLE-ROAD, first door west of Victoria-road. It is built of brick (cemented front) on brick foundation, with awning and balcony in front, and containing shop, 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse. Land comprises Lot 20, Fernbank Estate, 20ft. x 128ft. 9in. Torrens Title.
By order of the Mortgagee.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above Property, Marrickville-road. Key obtainable on application to the Auctioneers. (2818)

DULWICH HILL.
Close to the Tram Terminus, situate north-west of Canterbury New-road.
1. Two detached Cottages, Nos. 82 and 84 Constitution-road, built of brick on stone foundations, with verandahs front and rear, and containing each hall, 4 rooms, kitchen and washhouse. Land comprises Lots 2 and 3, section 3, Dulwich Grove Estate, 127ft. 8in. to Constitution-road x 120ft. on the eastern boundary. Portion of the frontage is vacant.
2. Two semi-detached Brick Cottages and a Weatherboard Cottage, comprising Nos. 52, 54, and 56 DULWICH-STREET, containing as follows:—No. 52, verandah in front, 3 rooms, kitchen, and washhed; Nos. 54 and 56, each verandah in front, half hall, 2 rooms, and kitchen. Land, 65ft. x 180ft., extending back to Lewisham-street.
By order of the Mortgagee.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above Property at Dulwich Hill. (2824)

NORTH SYDNEY,
close to the Cable Tram and overlooking Government Reserve.
A valuable Block of Land, comprising
Lot 9 and part of Lot 8, Section 24, TOWN OF ST. LEONARDS, having frontages of 198ft. to the west side of MERLIN-STREET and 132ft. to the south side of ERNEST-STREET, on which is erected a Stone Cottage, with verandah front and rear, and containing 4 rooms, weatherboard kitchen, and washshed.
*** A desirable property, situate a short distance north of Falcon-street. A LARGE PORTION of the Land is VACANT and AVAILABLE for BUILDING PURPOSES.
INSPECTION INVITED.
By order of the Mortgagee.
Auction Sale at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock.
(2826) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited.

NEWTOWN,
near the tram (2d fares) and South of the Enmore-road.
A Two-story HOUSE, comprising No. 31 REISBY-STREET. Built of brick (cemented) on stone foundation, containing half-hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, and washshed (bath and copper). Land having 15ft. 11in. x 103ft. Torrens Title.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above Property at Newtown. (2818)

WAVERLEY,
within easy distance of the tram in Macpherson-street.
BALBOA,
a Family RESIDENCE, standing in its own Grounds, built of brick (cemented), containing porch entrance, hall, drawing and dining rooms, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, and washhouse, weatherboard servant's room, detached weatherboard stable, and coach-house. The Land comprises an area of about 2 ROODS, having 328ft. frontage to the east side of FERN-STREET, and 125ft. 4in. to DOUGLAS-STREET. A large portion of the Land, including the corner, is vacant, and available for building purposes. Torrens title.
By Order of the Mortgagee.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 11 clock,
The above Residence and Grounds, Fern-street, Waverley, occupying one of the best sites in this favourite suburb, commanding an extensive range of ocean view. (2817)

ENMORE,
South of the Stanmore-road.
A Two-story House, known as CHELLOWDEAN, fronting TUPPER-STREET. It is built of brick (cemented front), with verandah and balcony in front, and containing half-hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, and washshed. Land 20ft. x 116ft., extending back to Short-street. Torrens title.
By Order of the Mortgagee.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock.
The above Property at Enmore, 10 minutes' walk of the tram. (2822)

NORTH WILLOUGHBY,
close to the route of the Electric Tramway.
Two Brick Cottages, fronting MARKET-STREET, east of the North Sydney road. Occupied by Messrs. Taylor and Bailey. They have verandahs in front, and contain each 3 rooms and kitchen (fitted with copper). Land 50ft. x 132ft.
By Order of the Mortgagee.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above. (2816)

DOBROYD, ASHFIELD,
a short distance north of Parramatta-road, and the Park.
DOBROYD VILLA, a Weatherboard COTTAGE, fronting ST. DAVID'S-ROAD, with verandah, and containing 4 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washshed. Land having 33ft. frontage, depth about 110ft. Torrens Title.
By order of the Mortgagee.
Auction Sale at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock.
(2859) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited.

PETERSHAM,
on the Hill, between the
RAILWAY LINE and PARRAMATTA-ROAD.
A semi-detached HOUSE, known as WYCLIFFE VILLA, comprising No. 17 PALACE-STREET, between Croydon and Norwood streets. It is built of brick on stone foundation, with verandah and balcony in front, and containing hall, 6 rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, washhouse, detached wooden shed,
LAND 33ft. x 174ft. back to a lane. Torrens Title.
By Order of the Mortgagee.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above Villa at Petersham, within 8 minutes' walk of the station. (2823)

MILITARY-ROAD, MOSMAN,
on the Electric Tram Route.
Allotments Nos. 4 and 5, section 1, Parraween Estate, about 66ft frontage to the north side of Military-road and about 66ft. to Phillip-street, depth through 108ft. Title leasehold, about 83 years to run. Ground rent £12 per annum.
On it are erected of brick on stone foundation the following Premises:—Two two-story HOUSES, with balconies in front, and containing each 4 rooms and kitchen; one has shop front.
A PRODUCE STORE let with one of the houses.
By order of the Mortgagee.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above property, Mosman, close to Macpherson-street, a locality rapidly coming to the front.
(2825)

HARRIS PARK,
in the district of Parramatta, close to the station.
A semi-detached two-story Brick HOUSE, fronting HARRIS-STREET, on the eastern side of the Railway Line, known as Mr. Chas. Burgess's property. It has verandah and balcony in front, and contains 5 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse.
Land 30ft. 9in. x 100ft. back to a lane. Torrens Title.
By order of the Mortgagee.
AUCTION SALE at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th November, at 11 o'clock.
(2815) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

PALACE-STREET, PETERSHAM,
on the Hill north of the Line.
FOUR two-story HOUSES, comprising Nos. 8 to 14, Palace-street, at the corner of Norwood-street.
They are built of brick (cemented) on stone foundation, with verandahs and balconies in front, and containing as follows:—
Nos. 8 and 10, each hall, 6 rooms, 2 attic rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse
Nos. 12 and 14, each hall, 5 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse.
The Land is a Corner Block, having frontages of about 90ft. to the west side of Palace-street and about 132ft. to the south side of Norwood-street West.
Also, on account of the owner,
Allotment of Vacant Land 20ft. to Norwood-street x 120ft., adjoining the above.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above Corner Property, Palace-street, near Parramatta-road, Petersham. (2826)

BALMAIN EAST.
Close to Mort's Dock and the Steamer Wharf.
A Detached COTTAGE, comprising No. 73 COLLEGE-STREET (east side), between Cameron-street and Curtis-road. It is built of Weatherboards, on stone foundation, with verandah in front, and containing 6 rooms, kitchen, and washshed. Land, 29ft. x 78ft. 6in.
By order of the Mortgagee.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above Cottage at Balmain. (2861)

YORK-STREET, CITY,
overlooking the pretty Carrington Park,
WYNYARD-SQUARE.
RESIDENCE OR BUSINESS SITE.
Estate of the late Mrs. Hunter-Baillie.
49½ FEET frontage
to east side of YORK-STREET, a little south of Margaret-street, by a depth chiefly of 80ft. extending to a lane at the rear. It is enclosed. The central position of this land, coupled with the picturesqueness of the Park opposite, should recommend it to Trustees, Capitalists, and others for Investment buildings for either Commercial or Professional uses.
Sketch Plan at the Rooms.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions from the Executors of the Will of the late Mrs. Hunter-Baillie to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th November, at 11 o'clock,
The above excellent site, Wynyard-square.
Messrs. ICETON and FAITHFUL, 88 Pitt-street, are Solicitors to the Estate. (2808)

EVELEIGH.
Opposite the Government Workshops, within easy walk of the centre of the City.
TWO COTTAGES,
comprising Nos. 35 and 36, WILSON-STREET (north side), a few yards west of Shepherd-street. Land, 24ft. x 49ft. back to a right-of-way.
Rental, £52 per annum.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above small investment Property at Eveleigh.
(2872)

MERYLA VALLEY,
in the popular district of Moss Vale.
An early selection of W. Keys, comprising an area of 281 ACRES, within a mile of the main road, Kangaroo Valley to Moss Vale, and adjoining the property of Thos. Leary and A. Knox. Plan on view at the Rooms.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above freehold at Meryla Valley, Moss Vale.
(2869)

CENTRAL CITY.
LYCEUM THEATRE and HOTEL,
in
PITT-STREET,
close to Tattersall's Club.
THE THEATRE is widely known as one of the best constructed and most complete places of amusement in the Colonies, being modern and up to date in all parts. The seating accommodation for dress circle, stalls, family circle, and gallery is about 1800.
The STAGE, which has a depth of 60ft., is fitted with all the latest improvements for the economical and effective working of scenery and stage effects. A complete Electric Light Plant is attached to the Theatre.
The HOTEL has 2 bars, billiard-room, 20 rooms, 3 bathrooms, linen closets, kitchen, lavatory, wine cellar, and 2 small cellars.
THE LAND HAS THE FOLLOWING FRONTAGES, viz.:—
FREEHOLD, having 50ft. 1½in. frontage to the east side of PITT-STREET, with a depth of 183ft. partly along a right-of-way.
LEASEHOLD, having 26ft. frontage to the west side of CASTLEREAGH-STREET, with a depth of 118ft. 4in. abutting on the Freehold portion. Terms of lease, 30 years from 18th June, 1892, at £250 per annum, and arrangements can be made to acquire the fee simple at a reasonable price.
THEATRE MANAGERS, CAPITALISTS, and SPECULATORS
by this Sale have a chance to acquire a unique property under circumstances favourable to them, and to such consideration of the purchase is strongly recommended.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
THE LYCEUM THEATRE and HOTEL, Pitt-street. (2864)

By Order of the Executors (the PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, Limited).
Continuation Sale in accordance with the Will of the late
W. H. PALING, Esq.
SHARES.
CITY, SUBURBAN, AND COUNTRY PROPERTIES.

WILLIAM-STREET.—Two Shops and Dwellings, Nos. 66 and 68, occupied by C. I. F. Forssberg, erected on land having a frontage of 44ft. 4in. to William-street, by a depth of from 91ft. 3in. to 91ft. 9in., extending back to Smedley-lane at rear.

BURWOOD.—Vacant Land, 190ft. to Minna-street, 203ft. to Bold-street, and 293ft. to Angelo-street, being lots 24 to 31, Vivey's Estate, west of grounds attached to Mansion of RICHARD JONES, Esq.
*** Handy to Burwood-road, Liverpool-road, and about 8 minutes' walk from railway station. In one or more lots.

ENFIELD.—44 ACRES 2 roods and 6 perches, being Nos. 1, 2, 4 to 10, 14 to 26, 29 to 36 of section 1, and Nos. 1 to 15, sec. 4, of RIPON ESTATE, between Liverpool-road and Punch Bowl-road. In lots.

MARRICKVILLE.—Vacant Land, 120ft. to Gorman-street, late William-street, depth 100ft., being Lots 15, 17, and 19, sec. 1, Thompson subdivision, off Illawarra-road, opposite council-chambers.
*** A level block, suitable for small villas or a terrace, in lots.

ARNCLIFFE.—27 ACRES 3r. 14½p., being Lots 8 to 14, 16 and 17, sec. E, ALPHINGTON PARK, fronting Canonbury Grove and Bay View-road.
*** About 1 mile distant from Arncliffe Railway Station. In lots.

AUBURN.—Lot 12, sec. 1; 8 of sec. 4; 8 to 10, sec. 6, and 9 to 12 of 8, GRAMPIAN HILLS ESTATE.
*** On south side of line, handy to Ritchie's Works, and convenient to Railway Station. In lots.

MANLY COVE PARISH.—The following portions of Government Subdivision:—
No. 570, area 4 acres 1 rood 23 perches.
575, area 3 acres 3 roods 24 perches.
581, area 3 acres and 13 perches.
636, area 5 acres and 22 perches.
613, area 5 acres 1 rood 12 perches.
673, area 3 acres and 1 perch.
674, area 4 acres 2 roods 18 perches.
697, area 3 acres 2 roods 3 perches.
713, area 4 acres and 23 perches.
742, area 5 acres and 2 perches.
747, area 4 acres 1 rood 25 perches.
*** In one or more Blocks.

PARRAMATTA.—Part of Lots 4 and 5, Sec. 5, of Meehan's Subdivision, 62ft. frontage to Railway-street by a depth of 97ft.

HARTLEY.—426 ACRES 2 roods and 31 perches, fronting Western-road and River Lett.

RYDAL.—278 ACRES fronting road to Sodwalls, and about half a mile from railway station, adjoining the township.

WENTWORTH FALLS.—Portion 45, in area 40¾ acres; portion 46, containing 40 acres; portion 50, in area 42 acres.

EXETER, beyond SUTTON FOREST, a delightful climate, at great elevation.
The well-known ROCKLEY ESTATE of 819a. 2r. 34½p., about one mile from Exeter Railway station, adjoining the village. It is advised as a really good dairy estate, most favourably situated, a large proportion of the land being rich chocolate soil, making the property a desirable purchase, for, embracing lot 1, section 2, of Vine Lodge Estate, it has an entrance from a roadway facing the railway line.
CASTLEREAGH TOWNSHIP.—Block of Land containing 4 acres 10 perches, being portion 33.
SHARES.—880 in the ORANGE FREEHOLD LAND COMPANY, Limited, fully paid up.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 19th November, at 11.30 a.m. prompt,
The above.
Plans of some of the lands are on view at the Rooms.
Messrs. STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN O'Connell-street, are solicitors to the Estate. (2850)

WOOLLOOMOOLOO.
Close to Cowper Wharf, and only a few minutes' walk from the centre of the city, via the Domain.
A valuable Corner Block of Land, having frontages of 60ft. to the west side of BOURKE-STREET and 98ft. to north side of NICHOLSON-STREET, extending back to Lincoln-crescent, together with the premises thereon, comprising Nos. 35 to 39 Bourke-street, and No. 36 Lincoln-crescent.
Auction Sale at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock.
(2871) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

GREAT SOUTHERN ROAD, PICTON.
About 3 miles from the Station, 1000ft. above sea-level, perfect climate, good road out.
COURIDJAH, a Commodious COTTAGE, fronting the Great Southern-road and Myrtle Creek, substantially built of weather-boards on stone foundation, with verandahs, and containing 8 rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, man's room, and buggy shed, good water supply. Land in area about 5 acres, divided into several portions.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th November, at 11 o'clock,
The above Cottage and Land at Picton, known as Mr. C. F. Butler's property. Key with Mr. Everitt, Bargo-road. (2851)

SUMMER HILL
on the south side of the railway line.
A Detached Villa, known as HILLCOTE, comprising No. 16 RENSON-STREET (east side), situated between Regent-street and Junction-road. It is built of brick (cemented front) on stone foundation, with verandah in front, and containing hall, 5 rooms, bathroom, pantry, and kitchen; covered area at rear; washshed of wood. Land, 44ft. x 125ft. Torrens title.
*** A desirable property in this most attractive suburb; a good street and high-class property in close proximity.
By Order of the Mortgagee.
Auction Sale, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock.
(2820) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

WAITARA,
opposite the Station, on Hornsby Railway Line.
A SPLENDID CLIMATE.
SUBURBAN, with the charm of COUNTRY AIR.
INVESTMENT or SPECULATION.
15 ACRES and 7½ PERCHES,
fronting the main road and a side road known as Mr. Tibbett's.
On the frontage are various buildings, viz.:—Cottage of weatherboards, rent 10s; Cottage of weatherboards, rent 8s; Cottage of weatherboards, 8s; Cottage, 6s; SHOP of stone and brick, stabling, &c., 25s weekly; Carpenter's shop of weatherboards, 3s 6d; Cottage of brick, 5 rooms, &c., 15s; Orchard and Garden, leased £50 yearly; excellent paddock of 5 acres for cultivation or grass; being also capital building sites.
TERMS EASY, if desired.
Sketch Plan at the Rooms.
This property will pay a purchaser to keep, for the district has a high repute for its salubrity, and its being in the centrewill ensure strong demand and enhancement of value.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 19th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock.
(2873) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

HENDERSON'S
well-known
CAMELIA GROVE ESTATE,
close to
RAILWAY WORKSHOPS,
between
EVELEIGH and MACDONALDTOWN,
for
AUCTION SALE, SATURDAY, 4th DECEMBER,
on the Ground, at 3 p.m., in
BUILDING ALLOTMENTS.
The special attention of
BUILDERS, MECHANICS, MANUFACTURERS,
and others is directed to the
Sale of this
FREEHOLD ESTATE,
situate in a
CONVENIENT LOCALITY.
THE TERMS WILL BE LIBERAL.
Lithos are in course of preparation.
F. J. PERKS, Esq., Elizabeth-street, is Solicitor of the Estate.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited,
(2867) Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE.
By Order of the Mortgagees.
VALUABLE PROPERTIES IN THE TOWN OF GUNDAGAI.
ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 16,
at 3 o'clock,
At the Assembly Hall, Gundagai.

E. G. COOKE and CO. (in conjunction with W. E. Kyle) have been favoured with instructions from the Mortgagees to sell by public auction, as above,
The Extensive and Valuable Properties, consisting of—
LOT 1.—2 roods 11½ perches, with frontages to Sheridan-street and Punch-lane, subject to existing right of way, and upon which is erected the Large and Commodious Two-story Brick Buildings known as FRY'S FAMILY HOTEL, now in the occupation of Mrs. Fry.
LOT 2.—The Property known as the ASSEMBLY HALL, consisting of the Large Brick Building immediately opposite the Hotel, about 43ft. frontage to Sheridan-street (subject to existing right-of-way) and a depth of 318ft., now in the occupation of Mrs. Fry.
The above properties are being sold subject to existing tenancies, and being so well and favourably known, require little description. The Hotel has an old-established business, and the Hall, if desired, could be converted into a large store without any material outlay.
TERMS LIBERAL.
Full particulars regarding the properties, title, and terms can be obtained from the Auctioneers.
SALE TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 16, at 3 p.m.,
at the
ASSEMBLY HALL, GUNDAGAI.
E. G. COOKE and CO., in conjunction with W. E. KYLE, Auctioneers.

WEDNESDAY, 17th NOVEMBER, 1897.
VALUABLE MINING PROPERTY, MACHINERY, FREEHOLD LAND, GOLD LEASES, &c.,
late HILL END CONSOLS G. M. CO.

CLEMENTS and M'CARTHY, Bathurst, in conjunction with R. G. WATKINS and CO., 107 Kent-street, Sydney, are instructed by the Proprietor to sell by public auction, on the Ground, Hill End, on the above date, at 11 a.m.
THE WHOLE OF THE ABOVE PROPERTY, as undermentioned:—
Lot 1.—FREEHOLD LAND, on which is erected 15-head CRUSHING BATTERY, 16-h.p. HORIZONTAL ENGINE, 25-h.p. CORNISH BOILER, SHEDS, BUILDINGS, &c., together with DAMS and DAM SITES.
Lot 2.—20 000 Tons (about) High-grade TAILINGS, with FREEHOLD ALLOTMENT and COTTAGE.
Lot 3.—Vendor's Right, Title, and Interest in and to Nine GOLD-MINING LEASES, comprising about 17 acres, and embracing the well-known Scandinavian, Butcher's, and Carver's Reefs, with all mining workings thereon; also, 20-h.p. PUMPING ENGINE, 12in. CORNISH PUMP, 300ft. PIPE; 16-h.p. WINDING ENGINE, DOUBLE DRUMS; CORNISH BOILER, 20-h.p.; Double Cylinder STEAM WINCH, MINING TRUCKS, CAGES, TRAM RAILS, POPPET HEADS and PULLEYS, WIRE ROPE, large quantity MINING TOOLS, BLACKSMITHS' and CARPENTERS' TOOLS, and sundries.
Lot 4.—STAMPER BATTERY, 4-head.
Lot 5.—Quantity Quicksilver, Fireproof Safe, Gold Scales and Weights, Dray and Harness, and a large quantity of Mining Appliances and sundries.
Any of the above lots may be divided to suit purchasers if not sold as above. Catalogues in course of preparation, and obtainable from Auctioneers.
TERMS AT SALE.

WEEKLY 2s 6d.—Cornets, Tenors, Baritones, Auto-Harps, Mandolines. Howard and Co., Woollahra.

HARDIE AND GORMAN,
AUCTIONEERS, VALUERS, HOUSE AND ESTATE AGENTS,
desire to direct especial attention to the following branches of their business:—
1. WEEKLY SALES by Auction of Real Estate and Shares in the Rooms on Wednesdays.
2. OUTDOOR SALES of LAND on the Ground on Saturday Afternoons during the coming summer months.
3. VALUATIONS of Properties for Mortgage, Probate, Sale, and Division purposes.
4. SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN to the Leasing of FURNISHED and UNFURNISHED HOUSES, OFFICES, STORES, WAREHOUSES, and VACANT LANDS.
N.B.—A TO-LET LIST is issued MONTHLY, FREE of COST, to owners and applicants.
5. COLLECTION of RENTS and General Management of Properties attended to, and accounts rendered monthly or quarterly to suit the convenience of owners and absentees.
HARDIE and GORMAN,
133 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

THIS AFTERNOON.
FOR POSITIVE SALE TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.
WAVERLEY.
THE UNSOLD PORTIONS OF THE PARKVIEW ESTATE, overlooking the Centennial Park, comprising 9 ALLOTMENTS OF LAND, having frontages to PARK-STREET, off Newland-street, within a few minutes' walk of the tram stopping place at Ebley-street, and occupying an elevated position, commanding splendid views.
TITLE TORRENS ACT. LITHOS READY.
TERMS OF SALE: ¼ cash, balance in 12 quarterly instalments WITHOUT INTEREST. 5 per cent. discount for cash.
AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND, at 3 o'clock,
THIS AFTERNOON,
NOVEMBER 6, 1897.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers, 133 Pitt-street.

CARLINGFORD EAST.—That healthy suburb on Strathfield to Hornsby Line, elevation 316ft. A CHARMING BUILDING SITE ON THE HILL, with SPLENDID VIEWS across country to Pymble, &c. 6 minutes from the Station. The area is 1ac. 3rds 38per., with frontage to Essex-road, right opposite the residence and grounds of Robert Hilliard, Esq.
The land is well fenced and planted with the choicest fruit trees, about 6 years old, and all very healthy, with a good site reserved for the erection of a dwelling. Title Torrens.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell the above at auction in their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1897.

ABSOLUTE SALE.
In the Estate of the late George Renwick, Esq.
Lot 1. CITY, Corner of KENSINGTON and DWYER STREETS, City, just off George-street West, and close to Tooth's Brewery.—SHOP, with 4 rooms and Dwelling at rear, 3 houses of 3 rooms each and 2 Cottages of 3 rooms each. Total rentals, £132 12s yearly. The land has 54ft. 9in. frontage to Kensington-street and 60ft. to Dwyer-street. Title, freehold.
Lot 2. CHIPPENDALE, BANK-STREET, just off Regent-street and Cleveland-street.—3 brick-built DWELLINGS, each containing 5 rooms, kitchen, &c., and let at 10s per week each. Land 40ft. frontage by a depth of 56ft. Title, freehold.
Lot 3. CLEVELAND-STREET, nearly opposite St. Paul's and close to Regent-street.—Two brick-built SHOPS, Nos. 347 and 349, one containing Shop, 2 rooms, kitchen, &c., and let at 10s per week; the other containing Shop, 4 rooms, kitchen, &c., let at 12s per week. Land 25ft. frontage by a depth of 100ft. Title, freehold.
Lot 4. PITT-STREET, REDFERN, close to Cleveland-street.—Argyle-terrace, comprising 6 brick-built HOUSES, each containing hall, 8 rooms, kitchen, laundry, &c. Four of the houses have stabling at rear. Total rentals, £350 yearly. The land has 120ft. 9in. frontage to Pitt-street, 120ft. 9in. to William-street at the rear, by a through depth of 224ft. 3in. Title, Torrens.
Lot 5. RANDWICK.—Close to the Town Hall, VACANT BLOCK of LAND, having 80ft. frontage to WOODS-STREET, off Rae-street, by a depth of 130ft. to a lane at rear, being Lots 11 and 12 of St. Jude's Estate. Title, Freehold. Plan on view.
Lot 6. PETERSHAM.—Block of LAND containing an area of 1ac. 3r. 7½p., having 204ft. 7in. frontage to NEW CANTERBURY-ROAD, 448ft. 9in. to Kroombit-street, and 165ft. to COBAR-STREET, being lot 10, section 6, of the Petersham Estate.
Also, a Smaller Block, opposite the above, containing an area of 3r. 5½p., and having 165ft. frontage to Cobar-street, and 210ft. 6in. to Kroombit-street, being lot 16, section 6 of the Petersham Estate. Plan on view. Title, Torrens.
Lot 7. HUNTER'S HILL.—Block of LAND, having 200ft. frontage to FARNELL-STREET, and 200ft. to BLAXLAND-STREET, by a through depth of 352ft., being lots 7 and 8, section 8, of the Government Subdivision. Title, Torrens. Plan on view.
Also,
ELIZABETH-STREET, CITY, opposite Hyde Park, ARTHURSLEIGH TERRACE, comprising three brick-built Houses, erected on a block of land having 64ft. frontage to ELIZABETH-STREET, by a depth of 40ft. The property is well and faithfully built of brick on stone foundations, with slate roof, each contain hall, 8 rooms, kitchen, pantry, servant's room, bathroom. Two of the houses are let on leases at £160 yearly each, and the other is let at £180 yearly.
Fuller particulars of this property will be advertised in due course.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1897,
The above described Properties.

TO NURSERYMEN AND OTHERS.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
GRAHAM'S NURSERY, AUBURN.
1. The land has an area of 7 ACRES 17 PERCHES, with frontages to CHISHOLM-ROAD and DUCK RIVER, being LOT 3, SEC. 22 of the CHISHOLM ESTATE. The whole block is close fenced, well cultivated, and thoroughly drained. It is judiciously laid out and planted with well-assorted trees, shrubs, and plants, &c. The other improvements comprise 8-roomed Brick Cottage, stables, and choicely-filled bush and glass house.
2. ALSO, opposite the above, a Block of 20 ACRES 3 ROODS 35 PERCHES, fronting CHISHOLM-ROAD, being LOTS 22, 23, 24, SEC. 23 of the same estate.
3. AND fronting PRINCES-ROAD, off CHISHOLM-ROAD, close by, is a Block of 5 ACRES 7 PERCHES, being LOT 4, SEC. 25 of the same estate. This block is well fenced in.
TITLES TORRENS.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the Mortgagees to sell by public auction, in their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 17th, 1897,
The property known as GRAHAM'S NURSERY and BLOCKS at AUBURN, AS ABOVE DESCRIBED.
Plan on view.

TO BUILDERS and OTHERS.—NORTH SYDNEY, close to "CROW'S NEST" and the present cable tram terminus, GOOD BUILDING SITE, having 80ft. frontage to HAYBURY-STREET, by a depth of 130ft. to a lane at rear, Lots 43 and 44, sec. 3, Holtermann's Estate. TITLE TORRENS. Plan on view.
AUCTION SALE, in the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 17th, 1897.
HARDIE and GORMAN, AUCTIONEERS.

By Order of the Trustees in an Assigned Estate,
BURWOOD-ROAD, BURWOOD.
The EQUITY of REDEMPTION in and to two Residential Properties, one fronting BURWOOD-ROAD and the other fronting the AVENUE, known as BURWOOD HEIGHTS, in the best residential part of Burwood, surrounded by first-class properties, and opposite St. Paul's Church.
The land has 229ft. 6in frontage to BURWOOD-ROAD, 130ft. to Burwood Heights Avenue, 150ft. on the south side, and 209ft. 6in. on the east side. Title Torrens.
Particulars of Mortgage may be obtained from the Auctioneers, or from Vendor's Solicitors, Messrs. Sly and Russell, 379a George-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1897,
The Equity of Redemption in the above-described property at Burwood.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
ATTRACTIVE COTTAGES AT CHATSWOOD.
LOT 1.—RAILWAY-STREET, at the corner of DAY-STREET.—KINNOUL, a detached Brick Cottage, tiled roof, containing hall, 7 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, laundry, and all conveniences, let at £4 10s per month. THE COTTAGE is in a good position, quite close to the station, and off the main Lane Cove-road. Land, 75 x 120. Torrens title.
LOT 2.—HERCULES-STREET, one Lot from the corner of JOHNSTON-STREET.—Detached Brick Cottage, tiled roof, containing hall, 7 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, laundry, &c.; in a good position, with attractive surroundings. Land, 85 x 145. Torrens title.
A. G. M. FRIEND, Esq., Martin-place, Solicitor for the mortgagees.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with MARSHALL and DEMPSTER) have received instructions to sell by public auction, in their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on
WEDNESDAY, 24th NOVEMBER, 1897,
The above-described Cottage Property at Chatswood.
Inspection invited. Early possession given.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.
By order of the Master in Equity.
ROSSITER and OTHERS v. ROBINSON and OTHERS.
ALFRED and M'LAREN STREETS (S.W. corner), North Sydney.—A Stone-built COTTAGE RESIDENCE, known as DENISON HOUSE, containing 6 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, washhouse, &c., at present occupied by Professor Falconer.
The land contains an area of about 1¼ acre, and having 162ft. 4in. frontage to Alfred-street x 444ft. 10in. to and along M'Laren-street.
TITLE: For particulars apply to E. TREVOR JONES, Esq., Solicitor, Bond-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the MASTER IN EQUITY to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 24th NOVEMBER, 1897,
The above-described Property. A plan of same can be inspected at the Rooms.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
CHATSWOOD, close to the station, on the west side of the line. An attractive BRICK BUILT COTTAGE, known as HENLEY, fronting RAILWAY-STREET, containing 7 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, tiled verandah, and all modern conveniences, at present let to Mr. Parkes at £56 yearly, monthly tenancy. Land, 75 x 120. Torrens title.
R. G. C. ROBERTS, Esq., Moore-street,
Solicitor for the Mortgagee.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell (in conjunction with MARSHALL and DEMPSTER) by public auction in their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. on
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1897,
The above described Cottage at Chatswood.

DARLINGHURST.
No. 20 VICTORIA-STREET, and known as RIVIERA, Family RESIDENCE, built of brick and stone, with slate roof, containing hall, — rooms, kitchen, laundry, 2 bathrooms, cellar; also, at rear are brick-built stables and coachhouse, at present occupied by Mr. Donovan.
THE LAND has 40ft. frontage to VICTORIA-STREET, 40ft. to BROUGHAM-STREET at the rear, by a through depth of 175ft. 6in. along a lane at the side.

TITLE, TORRENS ACT.
HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 24th NOVEMBER,
The above described
CITY RESIDENCE.
CARDS TO VIEW can be obtained of the AUCTIONEERS.

WEEKLY 2s 6d.—Cornets, Tenors, Baritones, Auto-Harps. Howard, Woollahra. Write for lists.

IMPERATIVE CLEARANCE SALE.
By Order of the Trustees Estate late Hon. John Blaxland.
☞ RYDE, adjoining the RAILWAY STATION.—Unsold Blocks and Allotments in the well-known MERIAM HILL SUBDIVISION.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Ltd., will sell by public auction, ON THE GROUND,
THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON,
at 3 p.m.,
THE WHOLE OF THE UNSOLD PORTIONS in this well-favoured and picturesque suburb, and with a view to meet the requirements of ALL CLASSES OF BUYERS both in ALLOTMENTS and BLOCKS of LARGE AREA.
TITLE, TORRENS ACT. TERMS LIBERAL.
LITHOS on Application.

NORTH SYDNEY.
FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS POSITION, right in the centre of trade, tram stopping place adjacent, one minute of Lavender Bay ferry, and only a few minutes from Milson's Point.
SUBSTANTIAL PREMISES of Brick and Stone, on stone foundations, known as "The Property Exchange," containing LARGE SHOP or Offices and Auction Room on GROUND ROOM, and Large Offices or SHOWROOMS on first floor.
LAND has frontage 25ft. to WALKER-STREET, right opposite Junction-street, by depth 117ft. extending to LANE AT REAR.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited (with Messrs Clarke and Solomons), will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their rooms, 88 PITT-STREET, on
TUESDAY, 16th NOVEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above described
FIRST-CLASS INVESTMENT.

AUBURN.
AN EXCELLENT PLOT, only a few minutes' walk from Railway Station, North side line, forming Allotments 30 and 31, Section 1, Auburn Downs Estate.
100ft. 1in. frontage to MACQUARIE (or Auburn View) ROAD, depth average 105ft. 9in.
By Order of the Mortgagee.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, will sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on
TUESDAY, 16th NOVEMBER, AT 11.30 A.M.

TITLE, TORRENS ACT.
☞ MANLY, THE QUEEN OF SOUTHERN WATERING PLACES.
RUBIMOR.—AN exceptionally well-built and finished DETACHED RESIDENCE of brick, slate roof, containing hall, 9 rooms, kitchen, bath, laundry, &c., wide verandah and balcony over front and side, conservatory, and pretty garden.
THE PROPERTY, situate at the corner of BELGRAVE and STEINTON STREETS, is within 5 minutes' easy walk of FERRY, and commands lovely OCEAN VIEWS.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Ld. (in conjunction with Mr. H. F. Robey) will offer by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on
TUESDAY, the 16th NOVEMBER,
at 11.30 a.m.,
THE above desirable RESIDENCE, at present occupied by S. Henderson, Esq., but possession available within a month, and the FURNITURE may, if desired, be taken at valuation or at an agreed sum.
ORDERS to view from either Mr. J. H. ROBEY, Estate Agent, MANLY; or from the AUCTIONEERS.
Particulars as to Title from the Solicitors, Messrs. ABBOTT, VINDIN, and LITTLEJOHN, Castlereagh-street.

WAVERLEY—AVOCA ESTATE.
☞ SUBDIVISION SALE, on the GROUND, of that picked BLOCK, in a good settled neighbourhood, running through from BONDI-ROAD to BIRRELL-STREET,
with FRONTAGES
TO BIRRELL-STREET, FREDERICK-SREET, and TASMAN-STREET.
LITHOS OF THE SUBDIVISION, now in course of preparation, will be ready shortly and available on application at ROOMS of the AUCTIONEERS.
The Estate only requires a visit to confirm the advantages claimed—
in

Healthy Locality,	Elevated Position,
Lovely Ocean Views,	Good Drainage,
Wide Streets,	Capital Soil,

coupled with
EASY ACCESS, within one minute of TRAM STOPPING PLACE,
and
LEVEL BUILDING SITES,
amidst Pleasant Surroundings.
Full particulars in future advertisements.
SALE DAY, SATURDAY, 4th DECEMBER.
Auctioneers:
BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
ROCKDALE and PYRMONT.
ROCKDALE.—RESIDENCE, known as Quisisana, situate fronting Rockdale-street, built of brick, containing 5 rooms, kitchen, bath, &c.
PYRMONT.—W.B. COTTAGE, No. 17 Harwood-street, containing 2 rooms and kitchen, at present let at 8s 6d per week. Title, leasehold.
PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
J. E. GREEN and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 110 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, November 11th, at 11.30 o'clock,
The above-described Properties.

DENHAM-STREET, GLEBE.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
BAKERY PREMISES, No. 13, at present occupied by Mr. Martin. The building is of brick, and contains Shop, 6 rooms, kitchen, &c., besides bakehouse, with baker's oven. The Land has a frontage of 83ft. to Denham-street, with a depth of 77ft. 6in. along Cottenham-lane. TITLE TORRENS.
Messrs. JONES and JONES, Elizabeth-street, Solicitors for the Mortgagee.

J. E. GREEN and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 110 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on THURSDAY, 11th NOVEMBER,
The above-described Investment, situate in Denham-street, just off the Glebe Point-road, in a thickly-populated district.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
RANDWICK.—COTTAGE PROPERTY, situate fronting HOWARD-STREET, built of brick, slate roof, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, pantry, w.-house, &c.; also, WEATHERBOARD STABLES of 5 Stalls. Land has a frontage of 40ft. by a depth of 112ft. 6in. to lane at rear, being Lot 32, Sec. 3, of the Oberon Estate. Title, freehold. Mr. W. E. HAWKINS, 88 Pitt-street, Solicitor for Mortgagee.

J. E. GREEN and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 110 PITT-STREET, at 11.30 o'clock, on THURSDAY, 11th NOVEMBER,
The above-described Property.

NEWTOWN, Baltic-street.—Good Investment Property, 4 Brick Cottages, 3 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, and all conveniences, water, gas, sewer, train, tram, and 'bus, large amount of purchase money can remain on mortgage, Torrens.
FOREST LODGE, Charles-street.—Nos. 1 and 2 Nowra-terrace, brick on stone, each 5 r., kit., rents each 11s w.
DULWICH HILL, Cannonbury Grove.—Lovely Cottage Villa, known as Warwick, built of brick, 6 r., kit., w.h., b'room, pantry, c'house, stable, &c., land 40 x 120, Tor.
LEICHHARDT, 116 Elswick-street.—Det. Brick Cottage, containing 4 rooms, kit., land 64ft. x 130ft., Torrens.
SANS SOCCI, Plimsoll-street.—Vacant Land, 66ft. x 332ft., abutting Government Reserve for water.
BALMAIN, Ellen-st., off Western-rd., near Bank of N.S.W.—Land having 40ft. frontage by depths of 75ft. and 87ft. to a lane, Torrens.
NORTH BOTANY.—Vacant Land, 57ft. 3in. to Botany-road, by a depth of 380ft. Part of lot 6 R. J. Want's subdivision.
OATLEY.—Oatley-avenue, W.B. Cottage, 3 rooms, hall and w. h., stove, copper; Land, 66 x 198, nice garden, close to station.
By order of F. J. Smith, Esq., official Liquidator of The Australian Mercantile Loan and Guarantee Company, Limited. Absolute Unreserved Sale.
HURSTVILLE.—66ft. to Princess-street by 150ft. along Bay View-road.
MARRICKVILLE.—30ft. to Sherlow-street by a depth of 150ft.
ROOKWOOD.—Land, 30ft. frontage to Fifth-avenue by a depth of 150ft.
GUILDFORD.—Lots 9, 10, Sec. 3, having 44ft. to Hawke's View-street by 110ft. deep.
MOUNT DRUITT.—Lots 6 to 11, Sec. 15, 132ft. to Cheviot-street.
PARISH of ST. LUKE, County of Cumberland.—50ft. to the Avenue by a depth of 250ft., ext. to Delamaie-st.

E. C. V. BROUGHTON has received instructions to offer the above at the Rooms, 250 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 18th November, at 11.30 a.m.

KATOOMBA.
THE MOUNTAINS FOR HEALTH AND VIGOUR.
BUSINESS MEN, pay a visit to Katoomba on Prince of Wales' Birthday, and buy a LOVELY BLOCK of LAND in Grimley's Subdivision, from 10s per foot, 250ft. deep, easy terms. The cheapest land on the Mountains. Beautiful air; lovely views. Torrens Title.
Sale on the Ground, 9th NOVEMBER.
E. C. V. BROUGHTON,
250 Pitt-street, Sydney.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION,
the Well-known
GOOLHI ESTATE,
situated in the
LIVERPOOL PLAINS DISTRICT,
35 Miles from Gunnedah.

GOLDSBROUGH, MORT, and CO., LIMITED, have been instructed by L. F. Iredale, Esq., to sell by auction, at THE WOOL EXCHANGE, MACQUARIE-PLACE, SYDNEY, on
TUESDAY, 30th NOVEMBER, at 12 o'clock Noon,
The well-known
GOOLHI ESTATE,
consisting of
19,620 ACRES of FREEHOLD LAND
4,356 ACRES of CERTIFIED C.Ps.
2,843 ACRE of CONDITIONAL LEASES.
35,600 ACRES of OCCUPATION LICENSE.
THE PROPERTY is well, substantially fenced, and subdivided into 36 paddocks, and the greater portion of the Run boundaries are wire-netted.
THE RUN is well watered, having 10 wells and numerous well-placed tanks, about 90,000 cubic yards being excavated.
THE IMPROVEMENTS are all in good order and most substantial, comprising owner's residence, manager's house, cottage, store, stabling, woolshed for 20 shearers, fitted with Wolseley's Machines, several employees' cottages, and all other improvements necessary for the efficient working of the property.
THE COUNTRY is sound, healthy, heavy-carrying, and fattening, consisting of rich black soil plains, and open myall and box timbered country, chocolate soil and box ridges, volcanic. All the timber has been rung, and the land cleared.
THE STOCK consists (more or less) of
31,630 SHEEP, mixed ages and sexes.
153 CATTLE, ditto.
64 HORSES, ditto.

SPECIAL NOTICE.
The Auctioneers desire to call the attention of capitalists to this splendid opportunity of investment in one of the picked properties of the colonies.
The Estate is thoroughly well improved, and the stock have been carefully bred for a number of years, and Mr. Iredale, who has owned the property for the past 30 years, has now brought them to a high standard of excellence; last season's clip of whole flock, including lambs, averaged 7lb. 4oz.
For terms and further particulars apply
GOLDSBROUGH, MORT, and CO., Limited,
Sydney and Melbourne.

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KOOL SHOES FOR HOT WEATHER
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Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Undertakers, 51 Darlinghurst-road.
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THE Friends of Mr. SOLOMON SILVER are kindly invited to attend his Funeral, which will leave his late residence, No. 15 Collins-street, Annandale, THIS AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, for the Necropolis, via the Petersham station. J. MEDCALF, Undertaker, Redfern.

GRAHAM.—The Friends of the deceased Mr. JAMES LEIGH GRAHAM, of 15 Bridge-street, Rozelle, Balmain, are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to move from the Sydney Hospital THIS SATURDAY, at 1.30 p.m., for the Necropolis.
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SCHULLER.—The Friends of the late Mr. JULES SCHULLER are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, 61 Union-street, Pyrmont, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
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LOUGHLIN.—The Friends of Mr. WILLIAM LOUGHLIN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Jane, which will move from his residence, No. 124 Mitchell-street, Glebe, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, for the Necropolis.
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ALLEN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. JOHN ALLEN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved DAUGHTER, Vera V., which will move from their residence, No. 26 Annandale-street, Annandale, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 2 o'clock, for Petersham Station, and thence to Necropolis.
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PARR.—The Friends of the deceased Mrs. MARGARET PARR are kindly informed that her Funeral will leave her late residence, No. 12 Erskineville-road, Newtown, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Newtown station, thence to Necropolis.
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THE Friends of the deceased Dr. MAX (Baron von Lüttwitz) are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from the German Club, Phillip-street, THIS SATURDAY, at 2.45 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.
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ANDREW.—The Friends of Mr. WILLIAM ANDREW and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved DAUGHTER and SISTER, Kate; to leave their residence, Bondi-road, Bondi, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery. W. CARTER, Undertaker, Waverley. Tel. 9, Waverley.

THE Funeral of the late Mr. LOUIS PULVER will leave the Sydney Hospital (Domain entrance) on SUNDAY, the 7th, at 1.15 p.m.; from the Synagogue, Castlereagh-street, at 1.30 sharp.
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PULVER.—The Funeral of the late LOUIS PULVER will leave the Sydney Hospital (Domain entrance) at 1.15 p.m. on SUNDAY. The Pupils of the Hebrew School will meet at the Synagogue Schoolroom, Castlereagh-street, at 12.45 p.m. precisely. P. J. MARKS, Hon. Sec. Sydney Jewish Education Board.

GRICE.—The Friends of the deceased Mrs. LILY ANN GRICE are kindly informed that her Funeral will leave her late residence, 69 Elizabeth-street, Waterloo, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 2 o'clock, for the Mortuary station, thence to Necropolis.
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MADIGAN.—The Friends of Mr. THOMAS MADIGAN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Mary; to move from his residence, 20 Comber-street, Paddington, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock, to Waverley Cemetery.
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